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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006:290192 HCAPLUS

TITLE: Concordant loss of melanoma differentiation antigens
in synchronous and asynchronous melanoma metastases:
implications for immunotherapy

AUTHOR(S): Trefzer, Uwe; Hofmann, Maja; Reinke, Susanne;
Guo, Ya-Jun; Audring, Heike; Spagnoli, Giulio;
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AB Because of its known heterogeneity, the anal. of antigen expression is
crucial prior to the initiation of antigen-specific immunotherapy for
melanoma. The melanoma differentiation antigens gp100, MART-1 and
tyrosinase are involved in a common pathway of melanin synthesis.
Peptides derived from these melanoma differentiation antigens are used in
the immunotherapy of melanoma and antibodies recognizing these antigens
are commonly applied to detect melanocytic lesions. One hundred
and ninety-one paraffin-embedded melanoma metastases from 28 patients with
2-19 lesions (mean, 6.8) developing synchronously (n=67) or asynchronously
(n=124) were analyzed by immunohistochem. for the expression of the
melanoma differentiation antigens, as well as cancer/testis antigens of
the melanoma antigen-A (MAGE-A) family (monoclonal antibodies 77B and
57B), anti-S100 and SM5-1. The overall reactivities were 81.6% (gp100),
79.5% (MART-1), 59.6% (tyrosinase), 59.1% (77B), 60.7% (57B), 93.2% (S100)
and 91.6% (SM5-1). Twenty-seven lesions (14.1%) were pos. for all
tumor-associated antigens, 75 lesions (39.2%) were neg. for one antigen and
87 lesions (45.5%) were neg. for several tumor-associated antigens.
Coordinated loss was found for lesions neg. for gp100 and MART-1 (9.4%,
P<0.0005), gp100 and tyrosinase (11.0%, P=0.009), MART-1 and tyrosinase
(15.2%, P<0.0005) and gp100, MART-1 and tyrosinase (8.9%, P<0.0005), which
is up to six times higher than the expected calculated loss. This coordinated
loss of melanoma differentiation antigens in melanoma did not include
cancer testis antigens and S100 or SM5-1. On average, the melanoma
differentiation antigens stained 50-65% of cells within a lesion, and
10-39% of synchronous clusters were heterogeneous for melanoma
differentiation antigen expression. In conclusion, broader polypeptide
vaccines should be used for melanoma immunotherapy.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006050213 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 16405722

DUPLICATE 1

TITLE: The monoclonal antibody SM5-1 recognizes a fibronectin variant which is widely expressed in melanoma.
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AB BACKGROUND: Previously we have generated the monoclonal antibody SM5-1 by using a subtractive immunization protocol of human melanoma. This antibody exhibits a high sensitivity for primary melanomas of 99% (248/250 tested) and for metastatic melanoma of 96% (146/151 tested) in paraffin embedded sections. This reactivity is superior to the one obtained by HMB-45, anti-MelanA or anti-Tyrosinase and is comparable to anti-S100. However, as compared to anti-S100, the antibody SM5-1 is highly specific for melanocytic lesions since 40 different neoplasms were found to be negative for SM5-1 by immunohistochemistry. The antigen recognized by SM5-1 is unknown. METHODS: In order to characterize the antigen recognized by mAb SM5-1, a cDNA library was constructed from the metastatic human melanoma cell line SMMUpas in the Uni-ZAP lambda phage and screened by mAb SM5-1. The cDNA clones identified by this approach were then sequenced and subsequently analyzed. RESULTS: Sequence analysis of nine independent overlapping clones (length 3100-5600 bp) represent fibronectin cDNA including the ED-A, but not the ED-B region which are produced by alternative splicing. The 89aa splicing variant of the IIICS region was found in 8/9 clones and the 120aa splicing variant in 1/9 clones, both of which are included in the CS1 region of fibronectin being involved in melanoma cell adhesion and spreading. CONCLUSION: The molecule recognized by SM5-1 is a melanoma associated FN variant expressed by virtually all primary and metastatic melanomas and may play an important role in melanoma formation and progression. This antibody is therefore not only of value in immunohistochemistry, but potentially also for diagnostic imaging and immunotherapy.

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TITLE: The monoclonal antibody SM5-1 recognizes a fibronectin variant which is widely expressed in melanoma
AUTHOR(S): Trefzer, Uwe; Chen, Yingwen; Herberth, Gunda; Hofmann, Maja Ann; Kiecker, Felix; Guo, Yajun; Sterry, Wolfram
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Dermatology and Allergy, Skin Cancer Center, Charite - Universitätsmedizin Berlin, Berlin, 10117, Germany
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URL: <http://www.biomedcentral.com/content/pdf/1471-2407-6-8.pdf>
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AB Background Previously we have generated the monoclonal antibody SM5-1 by

using a subtractive immunization protocol of human melanoma. This antibody exhibits a high sensitivity for primary melanomas of 99% (248/250 tested) and for metastatic melanoma of 96% (146/151 tested) in paraffin embedded sections. This reactivity is superior to the one obtained by HMB-45, anti-MelanA or anti-Tyrosinase and is comparable to anti-S100. However, as compared to anti-S100, the antibody SM5-1 is highly specific for melanocytic lesions since 40 different neoplasms were found to be neg. for SM5-1 by immunohistochem. The antigen recognized by SM5-1 is unknown. Methods In order to characterize the antigen recognized by mAb SM5-1, a cDNA library was constructed from the metastatic human melanoma cell line SMMUpas in the Uni-ZAP lambda phage and screened by mAb SM5-1. The cDNA clones identified by this approach were then sequenced and subsequently analyzed. Results Sequence anal. of nine independent overlapping clones (length 3100-5600 bp) represent fibronectin cDNA including the ED-A, but not the ED-B region which are produced by alternative splicing. The 89aa splicing variant of the IIICS region was found in 8/9 clones and the 120aa splicing variant in 1/9 clones, both of which are included in the CS1 region of fibronectin being involved in melanoma cell adhesion and spreading. Conclusions The mol. recognized by SM5-1 is a melanoma associated FN variant expressed by virtually all primary and metastatic melanomas and may play an important role in melanoma formation and progression. This antibody is therefore not only of value in immunohistochem., but potentially also for diagnostic imaging and immunotherapy.

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DUPLICATE 2

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005-30574 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: New monoclonal antibody that specifically binds to an antigen of human melanoma cells, useful in preparing a composition for diagnosing or treating melanoma;
hybridoma cell culture for use in antibody production for disease diagnosis and therapy

AUTHOR: GUO Y; MA J

PATENT ASSIGNEE: GUO Y; MA J

PATENT INFO: US 2005227303 13 Oct 2005

APPLICATION INFO: US 2005-146518 6 Jun 2005

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AB DERWENT ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - A monoclonal antibody that specifically binds to an antigen of human melanoma cells, where the antigen is bound by the antibody produced by the hybridoma deposited under ATCC Accession Number 12588 and the antigen is present on the membrane and in the cytoplasm of human melanoma cells, but is not present in normal non-activated human melanocytic cells and non-melanocytic human tumor cells in an amount that is detectable by the antibody, is new.

WIDER DISCLOSURE - Disclosed is a test kit for qualitative and quantitative determination of the melanoma-associated antigen comprising the monoclonal antibody of the invention.

ACTIVITY - Cytostatic. No biological data given.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - Vaccine.

USE - The monoclonal antibody is useful in preparing a composition for diagnosing or treating melanoma.

ADMINISTRATION - Dosage comprises 1-200 mg/kg body weight. The composition is administered via oral or parenteral route.

EXAMPLE - No relevant examples given.(12 pages)

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 969PE

TITLE: Differential expression of MART-1, tyrosinase, and SM5-1 in primary and metastatic melanoma

AUTHOR: Reinke S; Koniger P; Herberth G; Audring H; Wang H; Ma J; Guo Y J; Sterry F; Trefzer U (Reprint)

CORPORATE SOURCE: Charite Univ Med Berlin, Skin Canc Ctr, Dept Dermatol & Allergy, Schumannstr 20-21, D-10117 Berlin, Germany (Reprint); Charite Univ Med Berlin, Skin Canc Ctr, Dept Dermatol & Allergy, D-10117 Berlin, Germany; Univ G DAnnunzio, Dept Dermatol, Chieti, Italy; Mil Med Coll 2, Int Canc Institut, Shanghai, Peoples R China; Mil Med Coll 2, Eastern Inst Hepatobiliary Surg, Shanghai, Peoples R China
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ABSTRACT IS AVAILABLE IN THE ALL AND IALL FORMATS

AB The new monoclonal antibody SM5-1 has been shown to have significant advantages in immunohistochemistry of melanoma over currently used antibodies such as HMB-45 or anti-S100. In this study we compared the immunohistological staining pattern of SM5-1 with that of the more recently described antibodies A103 (anti-MART-1) and T311 (anti-Tyrosinase) in 344 paraffin-embedded melanoma specimens, consisting of 101 primary melanomas (77 SSM, 16 NM, 6 ALM, 2 LMM) and 243 melanoma metastases. The overall reactivity of SM5-1 for all the specimens was 92% (318/344) compared with 83% (285/344) for MART-I and 71% (245/344) for Tyrosinase. Staining of melanoma metastases with SM5-1 was found in 91% (222/243), but only in 77% (187/243) with A103 and 63% (154/243) with T311, respectively. Staining with SM5-1 was more homogenous with 196 of 243 (80%) of metastatic lesions showing 50% or more positively stained cells within the lesions, whereas A103 and T311 did so in 141 of 243 (58%) or 117 of 243 (48%) of the lesions. With regard to staining intensity of SM5-1, 157 of 243 (64%) showed a strong or very strong staining intensity, whereas A103 and T311 did so in 85 of 243 (35%) or 70 of 243 (29%) of the lesions. Staining intensity and percentage positivity correlated well for SM5-1, because from the 58 very strong positive metastases 55 showed staining in more than 75% of the cells within a lesion. Importantly, 52 of 56 MART-1-negative metastases and 81 of 89 Tyrosinase-negative metastases were positive for SM5-1. Thirty-eight metastases (15.6%) were negative for both A103 and T311. Of those, 35 (92.1%) were positive for SM5-1, demonstrating the value of SM5-1 in identifying melanoma-associated antigen-negative lesions. We conclude that SM5-1 could be of value in immunohistochemistry of melanoma.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:248723 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200510042045

TITLE: Effects of ethanol extracts of several traditional Chinese

medicinal herbs on tyrosinase expression and melanogenesis in guinea pig skin.

AUTHOR(S): Ma Jing-xin [Reprint Author]; Tu Cai-xia; Chen Xiao-yan; Zhang Kai-li; Liu Jia; Li Hong
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dalian Med Univ, Affiliated Hosp 2, Dept Dermatol, Dalian 116027, Peoples R China
SOURCE: Zhonghua Pifuke Zazhi, (FEB 15 2005) Vol. 38, No. 2, pp. 92-94.
CODEN: CHFTAJ. ISSN: 0412-4030.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Article
LANGUAGE: Chinese
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AB Objective To explore the effects of traditional Chinese medicinal herbs (TCMHs) on the expression of tyrosinase gene, melanogenesis and proliferation of melanocytes and elucidate the mechanism of TCMHs in promoting melanogenesis. Methods Seven TCMHs including Herba Ecliptae, Spica Prunellae, Caulis Spatholobi, etc, which were known to be effective in activating tyrosinase in vivo, were selected. Brownish guinea pigs were selected as the experimental model. The mRNA in situ hybridization (ISH). Schmorl-staining and dopa-oxygenase staining were performed to observe the effects of TCMHs on gene expression of tyrosinase, melanogenesis and melanocyte proliferation. Results The mRNA ISH showed that these seven drugs, especially Herba Ecliptae Spica Prunellae and Tribulus terrestris could significantly increase the number of positive cells and the intensity of hybridization signal in the treated group as compared with that in the control group ($P < 0.01$). In Schmorl staining and dopa-oxygenase staining, the number of cells containing melanin granules and dopa-staining positive cells per 100 basal layer cells were significantly increased in TCM treated groups ($P < 0.05$), and these two effects of TCMF's were not parallel with each other ($P > 0.1$). Conclusions These results suggested that these 7 TCMHs including Herba Ecliptae can upregulate the gene expression of tyrosinase, enhance the melanogenesis and promote the proliferation of melanocytes.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2004:106141 BIOSIS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200400109552
TITLE: Biological effects of glabridin on melanocytes.
AUTHOR(S): Ma Jing-bo [Reprint Author]; Huang Lan [Reprint Author]; Feng Shu-fang [Reprint Author]; Zheng Zhi-zhong [Reprint Author]; Zhu Lu-chuan [Reprint Author]
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Dermatology, Huashan Hospital, Fudan University, Shanghai, 200040, China
SOURCE: Zhonghua Pifuke Zazhi, (October 2003) Vol. 36, No. 10, pp. 586-588. print.
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Article
LANGUAGE: Chinese
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AB Objective: To study the effects of glabridin on human melanocytes and B16 murine melanoma cells. Methods: After glabridin was added into the two kinds of cultured melanocytes, the cell viability, tyrosinase activity and melanin contents were measured, respectively. The effects of glabridin were compared with those of hydroquinone. Results: It was shown that the effects of glabridin and hydroquinone on two kinds of cells were different. Compared with hydroquinone, glabridin had a concentration-dependent inhibition on melanogenesis and little influence on melanocyte viability. Conclusion: There is a biological diversity between human melanocytes and murine melanoma cells.

It is indicated that glabridin is a safe and active ingredient for depigmentation.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001233052 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 11214818
TITLE: SM5-1: a new monoclonal antibody which is highly sensitive and specific for melanocytic lesions.
AUTHOR: Trefzer U; Rietz N; Chen Y; Audring H; Herberth G; Siegel P; Reinke S; Koniger P; Wu S; Ma J; Liu Y; Wang H; Sterry W; Guo Y
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Dermatology and Allergy, Charite, Humboldt University Berlin, Germany.. uwe.trefzer@charite.de
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AB Antibodies such as HMB-45 and anti-S100 protein have been widely used as markers of malignant melanoma despite evidence that HMB-45 has a sensitivity of only 67-93% and S100 is nonspecific for melanoma. Using a subtractive immunization protocol in a mouse model of human melanoma, we have generated several monoclonal antibodies with putative specificity for melanoma. After initial screenings, the antibody SM5-1 was chosen because of its intriguing reactivity with melanocytic tumors in both frozen and paraffin sections. The immunohistochemical staining of SM5-1 was studied in paraffin-embedded specimens of 401 melanomas (n = 401; 250 primary melanomas, 151 metastases), melanocytic nevi of the skin (n = 16), nonmelanocytic neoplasms (n = 84). The results were compared with HMB-45 and anti-S100 staining. All antibodies reacted with nevi and 97-99% with primary melanomas. Whereas both SM5-1 and anti-S100 stained 96% (146/151) of melanoma metastases, HMB-45 correctly identified only 83% (126/151). All HMB-45-negative metastases were positive for SM5-1. Whereas neither SM5-1 nor HMB-45 stained any of 84 specimens from 40 different nonmelanocytic neoplasms, anti-S100 was positive in 21/84 (25%). While the staining pattern of SM5-1 was mostly homogeneous, small tumor areas in some metastases remained unstained. Staining with SM5-1 was also observed in perivascular dendritic cells, in plasma cells, some myofibroblasts and the secretion of eccrine sweat glands. Nonactivated epidermal melanocytes, keratinocytes, endothelial cells, smooth muscle cells and peripheral nerves were all negative for SM5-1. These results suggest that SM5-1 is highly specific, as well as sensitive, for melanocytic lesions and is useful in the immunohistochemical evaluation of melanoma.

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TITLE: SM5-1: A new monoclonal antibody which is highly sensitive and specific for melanocytic tumors.
AUTHOR(S): Trefzer, Uwe; Herberth, Gunda; Chen, Ying-Wen; Rietz, Nadine; Audring, Heike; Siegel, Petra; Adrian, Karin; Winter, Helmut; Guo, Ya-Jun; Sterry, Wolfram
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199800457759
TITLE: A melanoma associated fibronectin
variant characterized by monoclonal antibody SM5-1.
AUTHOR(S): Chen, Y.; Guo, Y. J.; Herberth, G.; Adrian, K.; Siegel, P.;
Audring, H.; Hansen-Hagge, T.; Sterry, W.; Trefzer, U.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Dermatol., Charite, Humboldt Univ., 10115 Berlin,
Germany
SOURCE: Journal of Molecular Medicine (Berlin), (May, 1998
) Vol. 76, No. 6, pp. B11. print.
Meeting Info.: 2nd Congress of Molecular Medicine. Berlin,
Germany. May 6-9, 1998.
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L12 ANSWER 2 OF 2 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 1
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95050453 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 7525548
TITLE: Integrin alpha 4 beta 1-mediated melanoma cell adhesion and
migration on vascular cell adhesion molecule-1 (VCAM-1) and
the alternatively spliced IIIICS region of fibronectin.
AUTHOR: Mould A P; Askari J A; Craig S E; Garratt A N; Clements J;
Humphries M J
CORPORATE SOURCE: School of Biological Sciences, University of Manchester,
United Kingdom.
SOURCE: The Journal of biological chemistry, (1994 Nov 4)
Vol. 269, No. 44, pp. 27224-30.
Journal code: 2985121R. ISSN: 0021-9258.
PUB. COUNTRY: United States
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals

ENTRY MONTH: 199411
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 10 Jan 1995
Last Updated on STN: 3 Feb 1997
Entered Medline: 29 Nov 1994

AB The integrin receptor alpha 4 beta 1 (also known as VLA-4) binds two different ligands, the endothelial cell surface protein vascular cell adhesion molecule-1 (VCAM-1) and the extracellular matrix component fibronectin. Three distinct sites in fibronectin are recognized by alpha 4 beta 1. Two of these (represented by peptides CS1 and CS5) are present in the alternatively spliced IIICS region and lie in separate, independently spliced segments of this region. A third site resides in the adjacent constitutively expressed HepII domain. Recombinant proteins containing the HepII domain and different splice variants of the IIICS have been generated and compared for their ability to mediate cell attachment, spreading and migration. The activity of these proteins has also been compared with that of a recombinant soluble form of VCAM-1 (rsVCAM-1). All the recombinant proteins supported A375-SM human melanoma cell attachment and spreading in an alpha 4 beta 1-dependent manner, but had varied adhesive activities with rsVCAM-1 > fibronectin variants containing the CS1 sequence >> other fibronectin variants. Low concentrations of rsVCAM-1 and CS1-containing fibronectin variants effectively supported cell migration in a trans-filter assay; however, cell motility was retarded at high concentrations of the same proteins. Fibronectin variants lacking CS1 supported little or no migration. To obtain further insight into the molecular basis of this varied adhesive activity, apparent dissociation constants for each of the recombinant proteins were measured using a solid phase receptor-ligand binding assay. The results revealed a hierarchy of ligand affinities that mirrored their adhesive activity (rsVCAM-1 > fibronectin variants containing CS1 >> other fibronectin variants).

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CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Dermatol., Charite, Humboldt Univ., 10115 Berlin,
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L18 ANSWER 2 OF 10 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 1
ACCESSION NUMBER: 96183755 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8608953
TITLE: Interaction with fibronectin regulates cytokine
gene expression in human melanoma
cells.
AUTHOR: Lupetti R; Mortarini R; Panceri P; Sensi M; Anichini A
CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Experimental Oncology D, Istituto Nazionale
Tumori, Milan, Italy.
SOURCE: International journal of cancer. Journal international du
cancer, (1996 Mar 28) Vol. 66, No. 1, pp. 110-6.
Journal code: 0042124. ISSN: 0020-7136.
PUB. COUNTRY: United States
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 199605

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 5 Jun 1996
Last Updated on STN: 5 Jun 1996
Entered Medline: 29 May 1996

AB Our study was aimed at investigating whether interaction of human melanoma cells with the extracellular matrix (ECM) protein fibronectin (FN) could regulate lymphokine gene expression. Serum-deprived cells (quiescent condition) of a metastatic melanoma cloned line were cultured either on uncoated or on FN- or BSA-coated surfaces. By means of reverse transcriptase- polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR), we analyzed mRNA expression of 4 cytokines interleukin (IL)-1alpha, IL-1beta, IL-6 and IL-8-and 9 growth factors-endothelial cell growth factor (ECGF), basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF), fibroblast growth factor (FGF)-5, HST, keratinocyte growth factor (KGF), transforming growth factor (TGF)-alpha TGF-beta1, TGF-beta2 and TGF-beta3. When cultured on FN, melanoma cells expressed IL-1beta and IL-6 transcripts in addition to IL-1beta, IL-8, ECGF, TGF-beta1, TGF-beta2 and TGF-beta3, already present in quiescent cells. Amplification parameters to achieve semi-quantitative RT-PCR were then determined for each detectable factor, thus allowing us to measure a selective enhancement of mRNA levels for IL-1alpha, IL-6, IL-8 and TGF-beta2 upon interaction with FN by quiescent melanoma cells. This augmented expression was inhibited by an anti-integrin beta1 chain monoclonal antibody (MAb). Moreover, the amounts of IL-6, IL-8 and IL-beta produced in the supernatants, as assessed by ELISA, correlated with the corresponding mRNA expression. Extension of this analysis to the other 5 human primary and metastatic melanoma lines confirmed the ability of FN to selectively up-regulate only IL-6 and IL-8 secretion. Our data indicate that FN is able to modulate expression and secretion of a defined subset of lymphokines in human melanoma.

L18 ANSWER 3 OF 10 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:299273 HCAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:25725
TITLE: Inhibition of cellular chemotactic invasion by a Vinca alkaloid, conophylline
AUTHOR(S): Amino, Nobuaki; Ohse, Takuhito; Koyano, Takashi; Umezawa, Kazuo
CORPORATE SOURCE: Faculty Science and Technology, Keio University, Yokohama, 223, Japan
SOURCE: Anticancer Research (1996), 16(1), 55-59
CODEN: ANTRD4; ISSN: 0250-7005
PUBLISHER: Anticancer Research
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB K-ras-NIH3T3 cells were more invasive than NIH3T3 cells in a chemotactic invasion assay. Conophylline, a new vinca alkaloid isolated as a ras function inhibitor, inhibited the invasion of K-ras-NIH3T3 cells, while it showed no effect on NIH3T3 cells. Conophylline did not increase expression of fibronectin but induced E-cadherin expression in K-ras-NIH3T3 cells. Mouse melanoma B16/F10 is a highly metastatic cell line. Conophylline was found to induce flat morphol. in B16/F10 cells and it again inhibited the invasion of the cells to the matrigel membrane. It induced fibronectin expression but not E-cadherin expression in B 16/F10 cells. Thus, conophylline lowered invasiveness of K-ras-NIH3T3 and B 16/F10 cells by reversing neoplastic phenotypes.

L18 ANSWER 4 OF 10 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:485283 HCAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 122:262473
TITLE: Acquisition of in vitro growth autonomy during B16 melanoma malignant progression is associated with autocrine stimulation by transferrin and fibronectin
AUTHOR(S): Stackpole, Christopher W.; Kalbag, Suraj S.; Groszek,

CORPORATE SOURCE: Laura
Department of Experimental Pathology, New York Medical
College, Valhalla, NY, 10595, USA
SOURCE: In Vitro Cellular & Developmental Biology: Animal (1995), 31(3), 244-51
CODEN: IVCAED; ISSN: 1071-2690
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English

AB Four mouse B16 melanoma subclones representing distinct stages in the benign-to-malignant progression of that tumor (G3.15, G3.5, G3.12, and G3.26), and three phenotype conversion variants with enhanced malignancy (G3.15*, G3.5*, and G3.12*), were comparatively examined for exogenous mitogen and growth factor requirements and for responsiveness to exogenous and endogenous growth modulators in monolayer culture. Growth behavior in serum-free medium with or without mitogen or growth factor supplements, and in supplemented quiescent serum-containing medium, confirmed previous indications that the G3.5 and G3.15* phenotypes were identical, as were the G3.26 and G3.12* phenotypes. However, G3.12 differed from the closest conversion equivalent, G3.5*, and probably represents an aberrant phenotype within this sequence. There was a direct relation between degree of malignancy (G3.15 → G3.5 → G3.5* → G3.26), growth capacity in serum-free medium, and responsiveness to transferrin. Only G3.5*, G3.26, and G3.12* cells were growth-autonomous in serum-free medium and also highly responsive to mitogens. The polypeptide growth factors epidermal growth factor, platelet-derived growth factor, basic fibroblast growth factor, transforming growth factor- α , and insulin-like growth factor-1 and -2 were generally stimulatory in quiescent medium, but the degree of growth promotion was unrelated to malignancy level. Transforming growth factor- β 1 was inhibitory to the more benign populations (G3.15, G3.5, and G3.15*) but stimulated proliferation of other cells. All populations produced autocrine fibronectin, and G3.12, G3.5*, G3.26, and G3.12* cells also produced autocrine transferrin. Only G3.12 cells failed to utilize both of those factors. Reversible mitogen-stimulated G3.12 cell growth was accompanied by partial and reversible responsiveness to both autocrine transferrin and fibronectin, whereas permanent stimulation by both factors characterized all growth-autonomous populations.

L18 ANSWER 5 OF 10 BIOTECHDS COPYRIGHT 2006 THE THOMSON CORP. on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992-04457 BIOTECHDS
TITLE: New artificial functional polypeptide for inhibiting cancer metastasis;
human recombinant fibronectin cell adhesion
domain-melanoma adhesion active site fusion protein
production; plasmid pCS25 expression in Escherichia coli;
pot. antimetastatic

PATENT ASSIGNEE: Takara-Shuzo
PATENT INFO: JP 03284700 16 Dec 1991
APPLICATION INFO: JP 1990-80676 30 Mar 1990
PRIORITY INFO: JP 1990-80676 30 Mar 1990
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: Japanese
OTHER SOURCE: WPI: 1992-037731 [05]

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AB The following are new: i. a recombinant functional protein in which a human fibronectin cell adhesion domain peptide and a melanoma adhesion active site are bonded directly or indirectly; ii. an inhibitor of cancer metastasis which contains the protein; and iii. an inhibitor of cancer metastasis which contains the functional protein of human fibronectin adhesion active site specific for melanoma cells. In an example, a CS1 peptide composed of 25 amino acids was chemically synthesized. Plasmid pCS25 was constructed

which expressed the human fibronectin cell adhesion domain Prol239-Ser1515 (277 amino acids)-CS1 fusion protein in Escherichia coli HB101. E. coli HB101/pCS25 was deposited as FERM P-11339. By culturing the transformant, the fusion protein was produced and purified. C57BL/6 and B16-BL6 melanoma cells were used to test the cancer metastasis inhibiting activity of the fusion protein. (8pp)

L18 ANSWER 6 OF 10 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 2
ACCESSION NUMBER: 91115970 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 1703545
TITLE: The vitronectin receptor alpha v beta 3 binds fibronectin and acts in concert with alpha 5 beta 1 in promoting cellular attachment and spreading on fibronectin.
AUTHOR: Charo I F; Nannizzi L; Smith J W; Cheresh D A
CORPORATE SOURCE: COR Therapeutics, Inc., South San Francisco, California 94080.
SOURCE: The Journal of cell biology, (1990 Dec) Vol. 111, No. 6 Pt 1, pp. 2795-800.
JOURNAL CODE: 0375356. ISSN: 0021-9525.
PUB. COUNTRY: United States
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 199103
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 29 Mar 1991
Last Updated on STN: 3 Feb 1997
Entered Medline: 1 Mar 1991

AB The vitronectin receptor (alpha v beta 3) is a member of the integrin superfamily of adhesive protein receptors that mediate a wide spectrum of adhesive cellular interactions, including attachment to vitronectin, von Willebrand factor, fibrinogen, and thrombospondin. We have studied the binding of fibronectin to the purified vitronectin receptor, and the role of this receptor in the attachment of cells to fibronectin. A solid-phase microtiter assay was developed to investigate the binding properties of the vitronectin receptor. Purified alpha v beta 3 bound fibronectin with high affinity in a saturable, divalent cation-dependent manner. Binding was inhibited by soluble vitronectin, by RGD-containing peptides, and by LM609, a monoclonal antibody against the vitronectin receptor known to inhibit the binding of adhesive proteins to alpha v beta 3. Immunoinhibition experiments showed that M21 human melanoma cells, which express the fibronectin receptor, alpha 5 beta 1, as well as alpha v beta 3, used both of these integrins to attach and spread on fibronectin. In support of this finding, M21-L cells, a variant cell line that specifically lacks alpha v beta 3 but expresses alpha v beta 1, attached and spread poorly on fibronectin. In addition, alpha v beta 3 from surface-labeled M21 cells was retained, and selectively eluted by RGDS from a fibronectin affinity column. These results indicate that alpha v beta 3 acts in concert with alpha 5 beta 1 in promoting fibronectin recognition by these cells. We conclude that fibronectin binds to the alpha v beta 3 vitronectin receptor specifically and with high affinity, and that this interaction is biologically relevant in supporting cell adhesion to matrix proteins.

L18 ANSWER 7 OF 10 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1989:227384 HCAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 110:227384
TITLE: Identification of two distinct regions of an alternatively spliced site in human plasma fibronectin that promotes cell-type specific adhesion
AUTHOR(S): Humphries, Martin J.; Komoriya, Akira; Akiyama, Steven K.; Olden, Kenneth; Yamada, Kenneth M.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Cancer Cent., Howard Univ., Washington, DC, 20060, USA

SOURCE: Pept.: Chem. Biol., Proc. Am. Pept. Symp. 10th (1988), Meeting Date 1987, 632-4. Editor(s): Marshall, Garland R. ESCOM Sci. Pub.: Leiden, Neth. CODEN: 56MDA6

DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference

LANGUAGE: English

AB Two distinct regions of alternatively spliced site were identified in human plasma fibronectin. This cell-type specific adhesion site (which promotes melanoma cell but not fibroblastic kidney cell adhesion) was localized in the type III connecting segment (CS). Results suggested both regions of III CS function sep. or together in mediating melanoma cell interactions with fibronectin.

L18 ANSWER 8 OF 10 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 3

ACCESSION NUMBER: 86196262 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 3084502

TITLE: Disialoganglioside GD2 distributes preferentially into substrate-associated microprocesses on human melanoma cells during their attachment to fibronectin.

AUTHOR: Cheresh D A; Klier F G

CONTRACT NUMBER: CA 28420 (NCI)

SOURCE: The Journal of cell biology, (1986 May) Vol. 102, No. 5, pp. 1887-97.
Journal code: 0375356. ISSN: 0021-9525.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

LANGUAGE: English

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ENTRY MONTH: 198606

ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 21 Mar 1990

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Entered Medline: 12 Jun 1986

AB Human melanoma cells (M21) actively attach and spread on a fibronectin substrate. Indirect immunofluorescence assays with specific monoclonal antibodies directed to the disialoganglioside GD2, the major ganglioside expressed on M21 melanoma cells, indicate that during the cell attachment process this molecule redistributes into microprocesses that make direct contact with the fibronectin substrate. Scanning and transmission immunoelectron microscopic studies with anti-GD2 monoclonal antibodies and immuno-gold staining demonstrate that GD2 preferentially localizes into substrate-associated microprocesses that emanate from the plasma membrane of the M21 cells. Staining with monoclonal antibodies directed to other melanoma surface antigens fails to demonstrate a similar distribution pattern on these cells. Direct evidence is provided that GD2 is involved in M21 cell attachment to fibronectin, since treatment of these cells with anti-GD2 monoclonal antibodies causes cell rounding and detachment from a fibronectin substrate. Moreover, scanning electron microscopy demonstrates that this loss of attachment of fibronectin is characterized by a perturbation of the cell attachment-promoting microprocesses that in the presence of these antibodies lose contact with the fibronectin substrate.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1986:15719 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV198630015719; BR30:15719

TITLE: ANALYSIS OF FIBRONECTIN ASSOCIATED WITH MELANOMA TUMOR CELLS IN-VITRO BEFORE AND AFTER TREATMENT WITH ACTINOMYCIN D.

AUTHOR(S): WAGNER H N JR [Reprint author]; HENDRIX M J C

CORPORATE SOURCE: DEP ANATOMY, COLL MED, UNIV ARIZ, TUCSON, ARIZ 85724, USA

SOURCE: Cell Differentiation, (1985) Vol. 16, No. SUPPL,

pp. 138S.
Meeting Info.: 10TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE
INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGISTS ON NEW
DISCOVERIES AND TECHNOLOGIES, LOS ANGELES, CALIF., USA,
AUG. 4-9, 1985. CELL DIFFER.
CODEN: CLDFAT. ISSN: 0045-6039.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference; (Meeting)
FILE SEGMENT: BR
LANGUAGE: ENGLISH
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 25 Apr 1986
Last Updated on STN: 25 Apr 1986

L18 ANSWER 10 OF 10 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 4

ACCESSION NUMBER: 85100656 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 6240392
TITLE: The regulation of basement membrane formation and
cell-matrix interactions by defined supramolecular
complexes.
AUTHOR: Martin G R; Kleinman H K; Terranova V P; Ledbetter S;
Hassell J R
SOURCE: Ciba Foundation symposium, (1984) Vol. 108, pp.
197-212. Ref: 3
Journal code: 0356636. ISSN: 0300-5208.
PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
General Review; (REVIEW)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 198503
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 20 Mar 1990
Last Updated on STN: 20 Mar 1990
Entered Medline: 11 Mar 1985

AB Several constituents of basement membranes, including type IV collagen,
laminin, heparan sulphate proteoglycan and nidogen, form a defined
supramolecular complex that is an obligatory intermediate in the formation
of this matrix. We have named this defined supramolecular complex the
'basement membrane matrisome'. Matrisome structures composed of other
collagens, proteoglycans and glycoproteins may participate in the
formation of other extracellular matrices. Cells show specific
interactions with components of the extracellular matrix. We discuss
studies that indicate that melanoma cells can express
receptors for both laminin and fibronectin. However, these
receptors are expressed in a reciprocal fashion, depending on the exposure
of the cell to these proteins. Binding of either fibronectin or laminin
to the cells elicits a distinct phenotype. This represents a mechanism in
which cellular activity can be regulated by extracellular matrix factors
during development and in repair.

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L24 ANSWER 1 OF 24 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN
ACCESSION NUMBER:      1999:516040 HCAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER:       131:183190
TITLE:                 Expression and localization of talin relate to cell
                        motility of human melanoma cells
AUTHOR(S):             Nakamura, Hiroaki
CORPORATE SOURCE:      Sch. Med., Iwate Med. Univ., Morioka, 020-8505, Japan
SOURCE:                Iwate Igaku Zasshi (1999), 51(1), 35-42
                        CODEN: IIZAAX; ISSN: 0021-3284
PUBLISHER:             Iwate Igakkai
DOCUMENT TYPE:         Journal
LANGUAGE:              Japanese
AB   Among several components of cellular focal adhesion plaques, talin is
      believed to transmit signals of integrins to cytoskeletal proteins in
      fibroblasts and platelets. We studied talin expression, distribution, and
      its relation to cell migration in melanoma cell lines. Melanoma cells
      cultured on fibronectin coated cover-slips show talin containing plaques,
      which are distributed in the periphery of cells and localized to actin
      stress fiber termination sites, using double immunofluorescence staining.
      There is heterogeneous expression and distribution of talin in melanoma
      cell lines. However, two groups can be identified; one with higher mean
      talin plaques/cell compared to the other group. The group with the higher

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number of talin plaques/cell exhibited significantly higher mean migration rates in time-lapse image anal. compared to the group with lower nos. of talin plaques/cell. These results indicate that melanoma cells show heterogeneous expression of talin and the functional relation of talin expression to a high migration on fibronectin with suggests that this tyrosine kinase protein modulates cytoskeletal function in malignant melanomas.

L24 ANSWER 2 OF 24 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:674367 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 130:79482

TITLE: Positive association between cytoskeletal changes, melanoma cell attachment and invasion in vitro

AUTHOR(S): Dewhurst, L. O.; Rennie, G.; MacNeil, S.

CORPORATE SOURCE: University of Sheffield Department of Medicine, Clinical Sciences Centre, Northern General Hospital, Sheffield, S5 7AU, UK

SOURCE: Melanoma Research (1998), 8(4), 303-311

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LANGUAGE: English

AB The literature concerning cytoskeletal changes and metastatic progression is unresolved, some studies suggesting a pos. association between the ability of cells to organize their cytoskeleton and others suggesting an inverse correlation. To learn more about cytoskeletal changes and the ability of melanoma cells to interact with extracellular matrix proteins the authors examined the of pharmacol. manipulation of cell attachment and cell invasion through fibronectin on levels of F-actin and vimentin in a highly metastatic cutaneous melanoma cell line (A375-SM cells). Addnl., the authors examined whether any correlation existed between the levels of the cytoskeletal proteins and subpopulations of the cell line of varying invasive ability. The authors report that agents which reduced cell attachment to plastic and invasion through fibronectin in vitro (tamoxifen, N-desmethyltamoxifen and 17 β -estradiol) caused increases in levels of F-actin and vimentin, whereas agents which did not affect attachment or invasion (4-hydroxytamoxifen and dihydrotestosterone) had little or no effect on the cytoskeletal proteins. In contrast, however, those cells which were most effective at invading through fibronectin were significantly better at acutely increasing their levels of F-actin and vimentin than less invasive cells. The authors speculate that the ability to rapidly and possibly reversibly alter the cytoskeleton might be associated with metastatically successful cells in vivo.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:457759 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199800457759

TITLE: A melanoma associated fibronectin variant characterized by monoclonal antibody SM5-1.

AUTHOR(S): Chen, Y.; Guo, Y. J.; Herberth, G.; Adrian, K.; Siegel, P.; Audring, H.; Hansen-Hagge, T.; Sterry, W.; Trefzer, U.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Dermatol., Charite, Humboldt Univ., 10115 Berlin, Germany

SOURCE: Journal of Molecular Medicine (Berlin), (May, 1998

) Vol. 76, No. 6, pp. B11. print.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference; (Meeting)

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LANGUAGE: English
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L24 ANSWER 4 OF 24 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 1
ACCESSION NUMBER: 96183755 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8608953
TITLE: Interaction with fibronectin regulates cytokine
gene expression in human melanoma
cells.
AUTHOR: Lupetti R; Mortarini R; Panceri P; Sensi M; Anichini A
CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Experimental Oncology D, Istituto Nazionale
Tumori, Milan, Italy.
SOURCE: International journal of cancer. Journal international du
cancer, (1996 Mar 28) Vol. 66, No. 1, pp. 110-6.
Journal code: 0042124. ISSN: 0020-7136.
PUB. COUNTRY: United States
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
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AB Our study was aimed at investigating whether interaction of human melanoma cells with the extracellular matrix (ECM) protein fibronectin (FN) could regulate lymphokine gene expression. Serum-deprived cells (quiescent condition) of a metastatic melanoma cloned line were cultured either on uncoated or on FN- or BSA-coated surfaces. By means of reverse transcriptase- polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR), we analyzed mRNA expression of 4 cytokines interleukin (IL)-1alpha, IL-1beta, IL-6 and IL-8-and 9 growth factors-endothelial cell growth factor (ECGF), basic fibroblast growth factor (bFGF), fibroblast growth factor (FGF)-5, HST, keratinocyte growth factor (KGF), transforming growth factor (TGF)-alpha TGF-beta1, TGF-beta2 and TGF-beta3. When cultured on FN, melanoma cells expressed IL-1beta and IL-6 transcripts in addition to IL-1beta, IL-8, ECGF, TGF-beta1, TGF-beta2 and TGF-beta3, already present in quiescent cells. Amplification parameters to achieve semi-quantitative RT-PCR were then determined for each detectable factor, thus allowing us to measure a selective enhancement of mRNA levels for IL-1alpha, IL-6, IL-8 and TGF-beta2 upon interaction with FN by quiescent melanoma cells. This augmented expression was inhibited by an anti-integrin beta1 chain monoclonal antibody (MAb). Moreover, the amounts of IL-6, IL-8 and IL-beta produced in the supernatants, as assessed by ELISA, correlated with the corresponding mRNA expression. Extension of this analysis to the other 5 human primary and metastatic melanoma lines confirmed the ability of FN to selectively up-regulate only IL-6 and IL-8 secretion. Our data indicate that FN is able to modulate expression and secretion of a defined subset of lymphokines in human melanoma.

L24 ANSWER 5 OF 24 LIFESCI COPYRIGHT 2006 CSA on STN DUPLICATE 2
ACCESSION NUMBER: 97:48963 LIFESCI
TITLE: Inhibition of cellular chemotactic invasion by a vinca
alkaloid, conophylline
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CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Applied Chemistry, Faculty of Science and
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SOURCE: ANTICANCER RES., (1996) vol. 16, no. 1, pp. 55-60
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ISSN: 0250-7005.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
FILE SEGMENT: R
LANGUAGE: English
SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB K-ras-NIH3T3 cells were more invasive than NIH3T3 cells in a chemotactic invasion assay. Conophylline, a new vinca alkaloid isolated as a ras function inhibitor, inhibited the invasion of K-ras-NIH3T3 cells, while it showed no effect on NIH3T3 cells. Conophylline did not increase expression of fibronectin but induced E-cadherin expression in K-ras-NIH3T3 cells. Mouse melanoma B16/F10 is a highly metastatic cell line. Conophylline was found to induce flat morphology in B16/F10 cells and it again inhibited the invasion of the cells to the matrigel membrane. It induced fibronectin expression but not E-cadherin expression in B 16/F10 cells. Thus, conophylline lowered invasiveness of K-ras-NIH3T3 and B 16/F10 cells by reversing neoplastic phenotypes.

L24 ANSWER 6 OF 24 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:102171 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:168000

TITLE: The expression of integrin $\alpha 2 \beta 1$ and attachment to type I collagen of melanoma cells are preferentially induced by tumor promoter, TPA (12-O-tetradecanoyl phorbol-13-acetate)

AUTHOR(S): Eguchi, H.; Horikoshi, T.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Dermatology, Sapporo Medical Univ., Sapporo, 060, Japan

SOURCE: British Journal of Dermatology (1996), 134(1), 33-9

CODEN: BJDEAZ; ISSN: 0007-0963

PUBLISHER: Blackwell

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The adhesion of melanoma cells to the extracellular matrix (ECM) protein is likely to be essential in their invasive metastatic processes. Treatment with 12-O-tetradecanoyl phorbol-13-acetate (TPA), a potent protein kinase C (PKC) activator, preferentially induced the expression of $\alpha 2 \beta 1$ integrin, the receptor for collagen/laminin. The number of cells attached to type I collagen, but not laminin, was increased by treatment with TPA. Prior exposure to PKC inhibitors such as H-7 (20 μ mol/L) and calphostin C (50 μ mol/L) had no effect on TPA-induced $\alpha 2 \beta 1$ integrin expression and cell attachment to type I collagen, whereas prior exposure to the calmodulin antagonist W-7 (50 μ mol/L) inhibited these TPA-induced events. The augmented adhesion was also inhibited by anti- $\alpha 2$ antibody. These data suggest that the increased attachment of melanoma cells to type I collagen appears to be mediated by the preferential augmentation of integrin $\alpha 2 \beta 1$, and the activation of calmodulin kinase, but not via the activation of PKC. Anal. of the expression of integrins and of cell attachment to ECMs is important in elucidating the mechanisms involved in the progression and metastasis of malignant melanoma.

L24 ANSWER 7 OF 24 LIFESCI COPYRIGHT 2006 CSA on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:117853 LIFESCI

TITLE: Spreading and focal contact formation of human melanoma cells in response to the stimulation of both melanoma-associated proteoglycan (NG2) and alpha 4 beta 1 integrin

AUTHOR: Iida, J.; Meijne, A.M.L.; Spiro, R.C.; Roos, E.; Furcht, L.T.; McCarthy, J.B.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Lab. Med. and Pathol., Univ. Minnesota, Box 609 UMHC, 420 Delaware St., SE Minneapolis, MN 55455, USA

SOURCE: CANCER RES., (1995) vol. 55, no. 10, pp.
2177-2185.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

FILE SEGMENT: B

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB In this study, we evaluated the potential role for a specific melanoma-associated chondroitin sulfate proteoglycan core protein, termed NG2, to collaborate with alpha 4 beta 1 integrin in focal contact formation in human melanoma cells. Although melanoma cells adhered to substrata coated with either the alpha 4 beta 1 integrin binding fibronectin synthetic peptide CS1-OVA or anti-NG2 mAbs, no spreading or focal contact formation was observed on either substratum. However, melanoma cells spread and formed focal contacts on "chimeric substrata" coated with CS1-OVA and the anti-NG2 mAb, 9.2.27, indicating that engaging both adhesion receptors changes the adhesion phenotype of melanoma cells by reorganizing the cytoskeleton. The collaboration between the two receptors is specific to fibronectin, since cells adherent on substrata coated with low concentrations of either laminin and 9.2.27 or type IV collagen and 9.2.27 failed to spread, while cells adherent on low concentration of fibronectin and 9.2.27 exhibited a fully spread morphology. Two selective tyrosine kinase inhibitors, genistein and herbimycin A, totally inhibited cell spreading on the substrata coated with CS1-OVA and 9.2.27, indicating that tyrosine kinase(s) is important for cell spreading and focal contact formation. When cells were cultured on substrata coated with CS1-OVA and 9.2.27, two proteins (M sub(r) 130,000 and 120,000) were tyrosine phosphorylated in a genistein- and herbimycin A-sensitive fashion. These proteins were not immunologically related to pp125 super(FAK) or alpha 4 beta 1 integrin. Importantly, when melanoma cells were cultured on substrata coated with CS1 and then stimulated with 9.2.27-conjugated microsphere beads, formation of focal contacts and stress fibers was also observed, indicating that NG2 can collaborate with alpha 4 beta 1 integrin when each receptor is engaged on distinct and separate substrata. These results demonstrate that NG2 acts as a coreceptor for spreading and focal contact formation in association with alpha 4 beta 1 integrin in melanoma cells and suggest a model in which the NG2 core protein communicates to alpha 4 beta 1 integrin by an inside-out signaling mechanism.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 95:109243 LIFESCI

TITLE: Expression of fibronectin, fibronectin isoforms and integrin receptors in melanocytic lesions

AUTHOR: Natali, P.G.; Nicotra, M.R.; Di Filippo, F.; Bigotti, A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Regina Elena Cancer Inst., Via Messi D'Oro 156, 00158 Roma, Italy

SOURCE: BR. J. CANCER, (1995) vol. 71, no. 6, pp.
1243-1247.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

FILE SEGMENT: N

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB In vitro studies have demonstrated that fibronectin (FN) can deliver a mitogenic signal to quiescent human melanoma cells and that the alpha sub(5)/ beta sub(1)-integrin receptor mediates this stimulus. In view of this finding we have analysed the in vivo expression of FN, and of ED-A and ED-B FN isoforms, in benign and malignant lesions of melanocyte origin. In the same specimens the expression of fibronectin integrin receptors was evaluated. The results demonstrate that, while detection of FN does not correlate with transformation and tumour progression, the expression of the two isoforms

is associated with transformation and that only the ED-A variant is found in metastases. Integrin phenotyping disclosed that α sub(3)/ β sub(1) expression is associated with tumour progression, α sub(v)/ β sub(3) is a marker of transformation, α sub(4) is rarely expressed and α sub(5) is expressed by about 50% and 30% of the primary and metastatic lesions respectively. Taken together, the results of this study demonstrate that transformation and tumour progression of the melanocyte lineage are associated with modulation of expression of FN isoforms and FN integrin receptors. Furthermore, the expression of α sub(5)-integrin in a considerable percentage of primary and metastatic lesions indicates that FN may deliver a proliferative stimulus to melanoma cells in vivo.

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DUPLICATE 3

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:496064 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199598519614

TITLE: Reversible and terminal differentiation in human melanoma cells enhances fibronectin and integrin gene expression.

AUTHOR(S): Su, Zao-Zhong; Jiang, Hongping; Waxman, Samuel; Goldstein, Neil I.; Fisher, Paul B. [Reprint author]

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SOURCE: Molecular and Cellular Differentiation, (1995) Vol. 3, No. 3, pp. 225-239.
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AB Cancer cells often display abnormalities in morphology and adhesion properties, including modifications in integrins that are major receptors mediating attachment to the extracellular matrix. Treatment of H0-1 human melanoma cells with the antileukemic compound mezerein (MEZ), which induces reversible differentiation, or MEZ plus recombinant human fibroblast interferon (IFN-beta), which results in terminal differentiation, induces growth suppression and a reversion to a melanocyte-like morphology (8,9). Reversible and terminal differentiation in H0-1 cells results in increased fibronectin, α -1 integrin, and β -1 integrin expression (9). In the present study we analyzed the mechanism underlying these gene expression changes in H0-1 human melanoma cells. Nuclear run-on assays indicate that MEZ and IFN-beta + MEZ increase the transcription rates of fibronectin, α -5 integrin, and β -1 integrin. In contrast, no significant change in the transcription of E-cadherin, P-cadherin, tenascin, gamma-actin, β -actin, or tropomyosin-1 genes occur under similar conditions. Elevated levels of fibronectin, α -5 integrin, and β -1 integrin mRNA are apparent by 12 h of treatment with MEZ and IFN-beta + MEZ, and enhanced expression, at both an mRNA and protein level, persists in reversibly differentiated and terminally differentiated H0-1 cells. The elevation in fibronectin gene expression in IFN-beta + MEZ-treated H0-1 cells occurs in the presence of cycloheximide, suggesting that this gene expression change is not dependent on ongoing protein synthesis. Enhanced fibronectin, α -5 integrin, and β -1 integrin expression in IFN-beta + MEZ-treated H0-1 cells does not involve an alteration in the stability of the respective mRNAs. These results indicate that induction of reversible differentiation (MEZ) and terminal differentiation (IFN-beta + MEZ) in H0-1 cells results in elevated fibronectin, α -5 integrin, and β -1 integrin expression that is mediated primarily by elevated rates of RNA transcription.

L24 ANSWER 10 OF 24 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 4
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 96089294 MEDLINE
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8585604
 TITLE: Scintillation proximity assay to measure binding of soluble fibronectin to antibody-captured alpha 5 beta 1 integrin.
 AUTHOR: Pachter J A; Zhang R; Mayer-Ezell R
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Molecular Pharmacology, Schering-Plough Research Institute, Kenilworth, New Jersey 07033-0539, USA.
 SOURCE: Analytical biochemistry, (1995 Sep 1) Vol. 230, No. 1, pp. 101-7.
 Journal code: 0370535. ISSN: 0003-2697.
 PUB. COUNTRY: United States
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
 LANGUAGE: English
 FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
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AB A scintillation proximity assay (SPA) has been developed to measure binding of alpha 5 beta 1 integrin, a heterodimeric cell-surface adhesion receptor, to fibronectin. This assay utilizes an anti-beta 1 integrin monoclonal antibody to simultaneously capture alpha 5 beta 1 from a cellular lysate and couple the integrin to anti-mouse IgG antibody-coated SPA beads for detection of 125I-fibronectin binding. The assay does not require prior purification of alpha 5 beta 1 nor physical separation of bound and free 125I-fibronectin. Chinese hamster ovary cells that stably overexpress human alpha 5 integrin (CHO#7 cells) were used as a source of alpha 5 beta 1 fibronectin receptor. Using the anti-hamster beta 1 monoclonal antibody 7E2 to capture alpha 5 beta 1 from a CHO#7 cell lysate, this SPA assay allowed measurement of specific 125I-fibronectin binding as defined by displacement by the Arg-Gly-Asp containing peptide GRGDSP or the anti-human alpha 5 antibody P1D6. IC50 values for displacement of 125I-fibronectin binding by GRGDSP and the novel cyclic peptides cRGDGF, cRGEGF, and cRRETAWA were 2.6, 0.045, 3.2, and 37 microM, respectively. Specific 125I-fibronectin binding to alpha 5 beta 1 from C8161 human melanoma cells was also measured using anti-human beta 1 antibodies. This method should be generally useful to measure cell-free ligand binding to receptors that are difficult to purify.

L24 ANSWER 11 OF 24 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 5
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 95050453 MEDLINE
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 7525548
 TITLE: Integrin alpha 4 beta 1-mediated melanoma cell adhesion and migration on vascular cell adhesion molecule-1 (VCAM-1) and the alternatively spliced IIICS region of fibronectin.
 AUTHOR: Mould A P; Askari J A; Craig S E; Garratt A N; Clements J; Humphries M J
 CORPORATE SOURCE: School of Biological Sciences, University of Manchester, United Kingdom.
 SOURCE: The Journal of biological chemistry, (1994 Nov 4) Vol. 269, No. 44, pp. 27224-30.
 Journal code: 2985121R. ISSN: 0021-9258.
 PUB. COUNTRY: United States
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
 LANGUAGE: English
 FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
 ENTRY MONTH: 199411
 ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 10 Jan 1995
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AB The integrin receptor alpha 4 beta 1 (also known as VLA-4) binds two different ligands, the endothelial cell surface protein vascular cell adhesion molecule-1 (VCAM-1) and the extracellular matrix component fibronectin. Three distinct sites in fibronectin are recognized by alpha 4 beta 1. Two of these (represented by peptides CS1 and CS5) are present in the alternatively spliced IIICS region and lie in separate, independently spliced segments of this region. A third site resides in the adjacent constitutively expressed HepII domain. Recombinant proteins containing the HepII domain and different splice variants of the IIICS have been generated and compared for their ability to mediate cell attachment, spreading and migration. The activity of these proteins has also been compared with that of a recombinant soluble form of VCAM-1 (rsVCAM-1). All the recombinant proteins supported A375-SM human melanoma cell attachment and spreading in an alpha 4 beta 1-dependent manner, but had varied adhesive activities with rsVCAM-1 > fibronectin variants containing the CS1 sequence >> other fibronectin variants. Low concentrations of rsVCAM-1 and CS1-containing fibronectin variants effectively supported cell migration in a trans-filter assay; however, cell motility was retarded at high concentrations of the same proteins. Fibronectin variants lacking CS1 supported little or no migration. To obtain further insight into the molecular basis of this varied adhesive activity, apparent dissociation constants for each of the recombinant proteins were measured using a solid phase receptor-ligand binding assay. The results revealed a hierarchy of ligand affinities that mirrored their adhesive activity (rsVCAM-1 > fibronectin variants containing CS1 >> other fibronectin variants).

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:98272 BIOSIS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199598112572
TITLE: Expression and activity of fibronectin receptors in human melanoma cells.
AUTHOR(S): Van Muijen, G.; Danen, E.; Jansen, C.; Ruiter, D.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Pathol., Univ. Hosp. Nijmegen, Nijmegen, Netherlands
SOURCE: Clinical and Experimental Metastasis, (1994) Vol. 12, No. 5, pp. 44.
Meeting Info.: Fifth International Congress of the Metastasis Research Society. Bethesda, Maryland, USA. September 28-October 1, 1994.
CODEN: CEXMD2. ISSN: 0262-0898.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference; (Meeting)
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L24 ANSWER 13 OF 24 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 6

ACCESSION NUMBER: 93239384 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 8478149
TITLE: Integrin expression in cutaneous malignant melanoma: association of the alpha 3/beta 1 heterodimer with tumor progression.
AUTHOR: Natali P G; Nicotra M R; Bartolazzi A; Cavaliere R; Bigotti A
CORPORATE SOURCE: Regina Elena Cancer Institute, Rome, Italy.
SOURCE: International journal of cancer. Journal international du cancer, (1993 Apr 22) Vol. 54, No. 1, pp. 68-72.
Journal code: 0042124. ISSN: 0020-7136.
PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 199305
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 11 Jun 1993
Last Updated on STN: 3 Feb 1997
Entered Medline: 25 May 1993

AB The cell-surface heterodimers of the integrin family of molecules, which mediate cell-cell and cell-substratum interactions, are likely to be functionally relevant in local and metastatic tumor growth. In the present study we have analyzed whether the alpha 3/beta 1 receptor for collagen, laminin and fibronectin undergoes changes in expression during tumor progression in cutaneous malignant melanoma (CMM). The results of this study have demonstrated that, while low levels of VLA3 expression are detectable in benign lesions, in primary melanomas the heterodimer undergoes progressive increase in expression which correlates with the degree of dermal invasiveness. Metastatic lesions were found VLA3 positive in 82% of cases. Furthermore, the heterodimer is homogeneously expressed in multiple autologous metastases. The presence of VLA3 correlates with detection of at least one of the ligands in 45% of the cases studied. These findings provide additional evidence that tumor progression in CMM is associated with changes in integrin phenotypes which include the alpha 3/beta 1 heterodimer.

L24 ANSWER 14 OF 24 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2006 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:213970 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 120:213970

TITLE: Gene expression changes induced in human melanoma cells undergoing reversible growth suppression and terminal cell differentiation

AUTHOR(S): Jiang, Hongping; Su, Zaozhong; Boyd, Jeff; Fisher, Paul B.

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SOURCE: Molecular and Cellular Differentiation (1993), 1(1), 41-66

CODEN: MCDIEL; ISSN: 1065-3074

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The combination of recombinant human fibroblast interferon (IFN- β) and the antileukemic compound mezerein (MEZ) results in the induction of terminal cell differentiation in the human melanoma cell line H0-1. This process is associated with an increase in melanin synthesis, profound morphol. changes, a modification in cell surface antigen expression, and an irreversible loss in proliferative ability. With the exception of loss of proliferative capacity (i.e., terminal cell differentiation), many of the differentiation-associated changes observed in H0-1 cells treated with IFN- β + MEZ are also apparent in H0-1 cells treated with equivalent doses of either agent alone or treated with mycophenolic acid (MPA), trans-retinoic acid (RA), or recombinant immune interferon (IFN- γ). The present study was conducted to ascertain which changes in gene expression are directly linked to reversible cell growth arrest (with and without reversible changes in the expression of differentiation-associated traits) vs. the induction of terminal cell differentiation in human melanoma cells. Treatments inducing reversible cell growth arrest or terminal cell differentiation resulted in the induction or enhanced expression of c-jun, jun-B, HLA Class I antigen, melanoma growth stimulatory activity (gro/MGSA), fibronectin, α 5 integrin, β 1 integrin, interferon-stimulated gene-15 (ISG-15) and ISG-54. In contrast, c-myc and tenascin expression were downregulated during IFN- β + MEZ treatment, whereas a similar degree of reversible growth suppression

induced by IFN- β + IFN- γ resulted in increased c-myc and tenascin expression. Conditioned medium from cells treated with IFN- β + MEZ also induced a number of similar gene expression changes in H0-1 cells as those resulting from direct exposure to this combination of inducers. These results indicate that the induction of reversible growth suppression and terminal cell differentiation in human melanoma cells is associated with both similar and distinct patterns of changes in the expression of early growth response, extracellular matrix, extracellular matrix receptor, and interferon-responsive genes. A potential role of autocrine factors produced by differentiating melanoma cells in modulating gene expression during the induction of terminal differentiation of H0-1 cells is also demonstrated.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993:17601 BIOSIS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199344005801
TITLE: Low dose radiation stimulates B16 melanoma cell alpha-LLb-beta-3 integrin receptor expression and adhesion to fibronectin in vitro and metastasis in vivo.
AUTHOR(S): Onoda, J. M.; Kantak, S. S.; Piechocki, M. P.; Awad, W.; Chea, R.; Monterosso, D. D.; Liu, B.; Mamytbekova, A. Z.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Radiation Oncol., Wayne State Univ. Sch. Med., Detroit, Mich. 48202, USA
SOURCE: Molecular Biology of the Cell, (1992) Vol. 3, No. SUPPL., pp. 19A.
Meeting Info.: Thirty-second Annual Meeting of the American Society for Cell Biology, Denver, Colorado, USA, November 15-19, 1992. MOL BIOL CELL.
CODEN: MBCEEV. ISSN: 1059-1524.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference; (Meeting)
LANGUAGE: English
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:592036 SCISEARCH
THE GENUINE ARTICLE: JR255
TITLE: LOW-DOSE RADIATION STIMULATES B16 MELANOMA CELL ALPHA-LLB-BETA-3 INTEGRIN RECEPTOR EXPRESSION AND ADHESION TO FIBRONECTIN INVITRO AND METASTASIS INVIVO
AUTHOR: ONODA J M (Reprint); KANTAK S S; PIECHOCK M P; AWAD W; CHEA R; MONTEROSSO D D; LIU B; MAMYTBKOVA A Z
CORPORATE SOURCE: WAYNE STATE UNIV, SCH MED, DEPT RADIAT ONCOL, DETROIT, MI 48202
COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: USA
SOURCE: MOLECULAR BIOLOGY OF THE CELL, (SEP 1992) Vol. 3, Supp. [S], pp. A19-A19.
ISSN: 1059-1524.
PUBLISHER: AMER SOC CELL BIOLOGY, PUBL OFFICE, 9650 ROCKVILLE PIKE, BETHESDA, MD 20814.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference; Journal
FILE SEGMENT: LIFE
LANGUAGE: English
REFERENCE COUNT: 0
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 1994
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L24 ANSWER 17 OF 24 BIOTECHDS COPYRIGHT 2006 THE THOMSON CORP. on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992-04457 BIOTECHDS
TITLE: New artificial functional polypeptide for inhibiting cancer metastasis;
human recombinant fibronectin cell adhesion domain-melanoma adhesion active site fusion protein production; plasmid pCS25 expression in Escherichia coli; pot. antimetastatic

PATENT ASSIGNEE: Takara-Shuzo
PATENT INFO: JP 03284700 16 Dec 1991
APPLICATION INFO: JP 1990-80676 30 Mar 1990
PRIORITY INFO: JP 1990-80676 30 Mar 1990
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: Japanese
OTHER SOURCE: WPI: 1992-037731 [05]
AN 1992-04457 BIOTECHDS

AB The following are new: i. a recombinant functional protein in which a human fibronectin cell adhesion domain peptide and a melanoma adhesion active site are bonded directly or indirectly; ii. an inhibitor of cancer metastasis which contains the protein; and iii. an inhibitor of cancer metastasis which contains the functional protein of human fibronectin adhesion active site specific for melanoma cells. In an example, a CS1 peptide composed of 25 amino acids was chemically synthesized. Plasmid pCS25 was constructed which expressed the human fibronectin cell adhesion domain Pro1239-Ser1515 (277 amino acids)-CS1 fusion protein in Escherichia coli HB101. E. coli HB101/pCS25 was deposited as FERM P-11339. By culturing the transformant, the fusion protein was produced and purified. C57BL/6 and B16-BL6 melanoma cells were used to test the cancer metastasis inhibiting activity of the fusion protein. (8pp)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1991-11037 BIOTECHDS
TITLE: Production and characterization of functional domains of human fibronectin expressed in Escherichia coli;
cell adhesion activity; possible application in inhibition of cancer metastasis

AUTHOR: Kimizuka F; Taguchi Y; Ohdate Y; Kawase Y; Shimojo T; Hashino K

CORPORATE SOURCE: Takara-Shuzo

LOCATION: Biotechnology Research Laboratories, Takara Shuzo Co., Ltd., 3-4-1 Seta, Otsu, Shiga 520-21, Japan.

SOURCE: J.Biochem.; (1991) 110, 2, 284-91
CODEN: JOBIAO

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AN 1991-11037 BIOTECHDS

AB Recombinant plasmids were constructed that expressed the human fibronectin cell-binding domain (CBD), the heparin-binding domain (HBD), or both, with or without the CS1 sequence of the IIICS region, in Escherichia coli HB101. Deletion analysis of the type III repeats showed that the HBD was at type III-13. The cell-adhesive activity of a fusion protein, CH-271, containing the CBD and HBD was twice that of C-274 when tested on BHK cells; H-271 alone was inactive. Recombinant proteins containing the CS1 sequence were more active than C-274 and CH-271 when tested on B16-F10 melanoma cells. H-296, which contained H-271 and CS1, was almost inactive with BHK cells. CH-296, which contained CS1 at the C-terminus of CH-271, was more active with B16-F10 than H-296 and C-CS1, which was produced by deletion of H-271 from CH-296. Thus, the CBD was active with both kinds of cells. The HBD promoted adhesion of both kinds of cells only when linked to the CBD or CS1. CS1 was specific for the adhesion of B16-F10 but was not essential. The products are

being examined for their ability to inhibit cancer metastasis. (39 ref)

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1991:457027 BIOSIS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199192101807; BA92:101807
TITLE: IMMUNOHISTOCHEMICAL DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS OF 60 CASES OF RHABDOMYOSARCOMA.
AUTHOR(S): LI X-M [Reprint author]; ET AL
CORPORATE SOURCE: ANHUI PROVINCIAL HOSP, HEFEI, ANHUI
SOURCE: Zhonghua Zhongliu Zazhi, (1991) Vol. 13, No. 3, pp. 207-209.
CODEN: CHHCDF. ISSN: 0253-3758.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Article
FILE SEGMENT: BA
LANGUAGE: CHINESE
ENTRY DATE: Entered STN: 11 Oct 1991
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AB Using the avidin-biotin complex immunoperoxidase technique and antibodies to myoglobin, desmin, CLA, NSE, GFAP, keratin, fibronectin, α 1AT, lysozyme, S-100 protein, vimentin, cytokeratin, actin, the authors studied 60 cases of rhabdomyosarcoma (RMS) histopathologically diagnosed previously. Thirty-six cases showed both myoglobin and desmin positive stain, an objective evidence of the origin from skeletal muscles. The other 24 cases were identified as of non-skeletal muscle origin, including MFH, lymphoma, melanoma, neuroblastoma, malignant neurilemmoma, leiomyosarcoma etc. This study strongly suggests that histologic examination of RMS may lead to incorrect diagnosis. Histologically MFH and other types of spindle cell sarcomas invading normal skeletal muscles may be confused with pleomorphic RMS, lymphoma and neuroblastoma may be confused with embryonic RMS. Our findings indicate that myoglobin is a highly sensitive and specific tumor marker for RMS.

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TITLE: Affinity chromatographic isolation of the melanoma adhesion receptor for the IIICS region of fibronectin and its identification as the integrin α sub(4) β sub(1).
AUTHOR: Mould, A.P.; Wheldon, L.A.; Komoriya, A.; Wayner, E.A.; Yamada, K.M.; Humphries, M.J.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Biochem. and Mol. Biol., Univ. Manchester Med. Sch., Manchester M13 9PT, UK
SOURCE: J. BIOL. CHEM., (1990) vol. 265, no. 7, pp. 4020-4024.
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
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SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB Eukaryotic cells adhere to at least two different regions of the fibronectin molecule: a central domain present in all fibronectin isoforms, and the type III connecting segment domain (IIICS), the expression of which is controlled by complex alternative splicing of precursor mRNA. Using affinity chromatography on a matrix containing a synthetic peptide ligand (CS1) representing the strongest active site within the IIICS, we have isolated the human melanoma cell receptors recognizing this region of fibronectin. The results identify the human fibronectin IIICS receptor as the integrin heterodimer α sub(4) β sub(1).

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 91115970 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 1703545

DUPLICATE 7

TITLE: The vitronectin receptor alpha v beta 3 binds fibronectin and acts in concert with alpha 5 beta 1 in promoting cellular attachment and spreading on fibronectin.

AUTHOR: Charo I F; Nannizzi L; Smith J W; Cheresh D A

CORPORATE SOURCE: COR Therapeutics, Inc., South San Francisco, California 94080.

SOURCE: The Journal of cell biology, (1990 Dec) Vol. 111, No. 6 Pt 1, pp. 2795-800.
Journal code: 0375356. ISSN: 0021-9525.

PUB. COUNTRY: United States

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)

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AB The vitronectin receptor (alpha v beta 3) is a member of the integrin superfamily of adhesive protein receptors that mediate a wide spectrum of adhesive cellular interactions, including attachment to vitronectin, von Willebrand factor, fibrinogen, and thrombospondin. We have studied the binding of fibronectin to the purified vitronectin receptor, and the role of this receptor in the attachment of cells to fibronectin. A solid-phase microtiter assay was developed to investigate the binding properties of the vitronectin receptor. Purified alpha v beta 3 bound fibronectin with high affinity in a saturable, divalent cation-dependent manner. Binding was inhibited by soluble vitronectin, by RGD-containing peptides, and by LM609, a monoclonal antibody against the vitronectin receptor known to inhibit the binding of adhesive proteins to alpha v beta 3. Immunoinhibition experiments showed that M21 human melanoma cells, which express the fibronectin receptor, alpha 5 beta 1, as well as alpha v beta 3, used both of these integrins to attach and spread on fibronectin. In support of this finding, M21-L cells, a variant cell line that specifically lacks alpha v beta 3 but expresses alpha v beta 1, attached and spread poorly on fibronectin. In addition, alpha v beta 3 from surface-labeled M21 cells was retained, and selectively eluted by RGDS from a fibronectin affinity column. These results indicate that alpha v beta 3 acts in concert with alpha 5 beta 1 in promoting fibronectin recognition by these cells. We conclude that fibronectin binds to the alpha v beta 3 vitronectin receptor specifically and with high affinity, and that this interaction is biologically relevant in supporting cell adhesion to matrix proteins.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 91082930 MEDLINE

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 2260635

TITLE: Alternative splicing of endothelial cell fibronectin mRNA in the IIICS region. Functional significance.

AUTHOR: Kocher O; Kennedy S P; Madri J A

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pathology, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Connecticut 06510.

CONTRACT NUMBER: HL-RO1-28373 (NHLBI)
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SOURCE: The American journal of pathology, (1990 Dec) Vol. 137, No. 6, pp. 1509-24.
Journal code: 0370502. ISSN: 0002-9440.

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AB Transforming growth factor-beta 1 (TGF-beta 1) is thought to play a role in modulating vascular cell function in vivo. In vitro, it decreases endothelial cell proliferation and migration. We postulated that these biologic activities could be mediated through TGF-beta 1 modulation of specific gene expression. Therefore we differentially screened a human umbilical vein endothelial cell cDNA library with cDNAs prepared from both untreated and TGF-beta 1-treated bovine aortic endothelial cells. Using this technique, we isolated many TGF-beta 1-induced cDNA clones. Sequence analysis of these cDNAs showed that many of them corresponded to alternatively spliced fibronectin mRNAs. These fibronectin clones all contained the extradomain I (ED I) but three different forms of the type III connecting segment (IIICS). These different fibronectin cDNAs were expressed in bacteria and the recombinant proteins used to study the effects of IIICS alternative splicing on cell attachment, spreading, and migration in bovine aortic endothelial and smooth muscle cells and B16F10 melanoma cells. The results of these experiments show that attachment and spreading of bovine aortic endothelial and smooth muscle cells depend primarily on the presence of the Arg-Gly-Asp-Ser (RGDS) sequence in the recombinant fibronectin proteins. However attachment and spreading of bovine aortic endothelial cells are modulated by alternative splicing in the IIICS region. Specifically splicing of the IIICS region decreases spreading and increases migration rates of the endothelial cells. On the contrary, using a cell line (B16F10 melanoma cells) that is known not to require the RGDS sequence for adhesion confirmed previous findings that B16F10 melanoma cells do not require the presence of the RGDS sequence for attachment and spreading. Indeed B16F10 cells were able to attach and spread on two recombinant proteins that did not contain the RGDS sequence. However attachment and spreading of B16F10 were dramatically inhibited when a 75-base pair DNA fragment was removed from the 5' end of the IIICS region. These results suggest that various regions of the fibronectin molecule may be able to interact with different cell populations to promote cell attachment and spreading, and that alternative splicing may modulate this process.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1989:227384 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 110:227384

TITLE: Identification of two distinct regions of an alternatively spliced site in human plasma fibronectin that promotes cell-type specific adhesion

AUTHOR(S): Humphries, Martin J.; Komoriya, Akira; Akiyama, Steven K.; Olden, Kenneth; Yamada, Kenneth M.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Cancer Cent., Howard Univ., Washington, DC, 20060, USA

SOURCE: Pept.: Chem. Biol., Proc. Am. Pept. Symp. 10th (1988), Meeting Date 1987, 632-4. Editor(s): Marshall, Garland R. ESCOM Sci. Pub.: Leiden, Neth. CODEN: 56MDA6

DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference

LANGUAGE: English

AB Two distinct regions of alternatively spliced site were identified in human plasma fibronectin. This cell-type specific adhesion site (which promotes melanoma cell but not fibroblastic kidney cell adhesion) was localized in the type III connecting segment (CS). Results suggested both regions of III CS function sep. or together in mediating melanoma cell interactions with fibronectin.

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 TITLE: ANALYSIS OF FIBRONECTIN ASSOCIATED WITH
 MELANOMA TUMOR CELLS IN-VITRO BEFORE AND AFTER
 TREATMENT WITH ACTINOMYCIN D.
 AUTHOR(S): WAGNER H N JR [Reprint author]; HENDRIX M J C
 CORPORATE SOURCE: DEP ANATOMY, COLL MED, UNIV ARIZ, TUCSON, ARIZ 85724, USA
 SOURCE: Cell Differentiation, (1985) Vol. 16, No. SUPPL,
 pp. 138S.
 Meeting Info.: 10TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF THE
 INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGISTS ON NEW
 DISCOVERIES AND TECHNOLOGIES, LOS ANGELES, CALIF., USA,
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TITLE: Construction and characterization of a high-affinity
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AUTHOR: Li, Bohua; Wang, Hao; Zhang, Dapeng; Qian, Wezhu; Hou,
Sheng; Shi, Shu; Zhao, Lei; Kou, Geng; Cao, Zhiguo; Dai,
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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 101RK

TITLE: Pathologic reporting and special diagnostic techniques for

melanoma

AUTHOR: Cochran, Alistair J. (Reprint); Starz, Hans; Ohsie, Steven J.; Sarantopoulos, G. Peter; Haas, Christian J.; Binder, Scott

CORPORATE SOURCE: Univ Calif Los Angeles, David Geffen Sch Med, Dept Pathol & Lab Med, 10833 LeConte Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90095 USA (Reprint); Univ Calif Los Angeles, David Geffen Sch Med, Dept Pathol & Lab Med, Los Angeles, CA 90095 USA; Univ Calif Los Angeles, David Geffen Sch Med, Dept Surg, Los Angeles, CA 90095 USA; ZentralKlinikum, Dept Dermatol, Augsburg, Germany; ZentralKlinikum, Dept Allergol, Augsburg, Germany
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TITLE: Concordant loss of melanoma differentiation antigens in synchronous and asynchronous melanoma metastases: implications for immunotherapy

AUTHOR: Trefzer U (Reprint); Hofmann M; Reinke S; Guo Y J; Audring H; Spagnoli G; Sterry W

CORPORATE SOURCE: Univ Med Berlin, Charite, Skin Canc Ctr, Dept Dermatol & Allergy, Schumannstr 20-21, D-10117 Berlin, Germany (Reprint); Univ Med Berlin, Charite, Skin Canc Ctr, Dept Dermatol & Allergy, D-10117 Berlin, Germany; Tumour Immunol & Gene Therapy Ctr, Eastern Inst Hepatobiliary Surg, Shanghai, Peoples R China; Univ Basel Hosp, Dept Surg, CH-4031 Basel, Switzerland
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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 006HT

TITLE: The monoclonal antibody SM5-1 recognizes a fibronectin variant which is widely expressed in melanoma

AUTHOR: Trefzer U (Reprint); Chen Y W; Herberth G; Hofmann M A;

Kiecker F; Guo Y J; Sterry W
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Charite Univ Med Berlin, Dept Dermatol & Allergy, Skin Canc Ctr, Schumannstr 20-21, D-10117 Berlin, Germany (Reprint); Charite Univ Med Berlin, Dept Dermatol & Allergy, Skin Canc Ctr, D-10117 Berlin, Germany; Ctr Environm Res Leipzig Halle Ltd, Dept Environm Immunol, Leipzig, Germany; Mil Med Coll 2, Eastern Inst Hepatobiliary Surg, Shanghai, Peoples R China; Mil Med Coll 2, Int Canc Inst, Shanghai, Peoples R China
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 AUTHOR: Reinke S; Koniger P; Herberth G; Audring H; Wang H; Ma J; Guo Y J; Sterry F; Trefzer U (Reprint)
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 TITLE: Melanocytes express 3G5 surface antigen
 AUTHOR: Fiedler E; Nayak R C; Marsch W C; Helmbold P (Reprint)
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Univ Halle Wittenberg, Dept Dermatol, D-06097 Halle Saale,

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AUTHOR: Karimipour D J (Reprint); Lowe L; Su L D; Hamilton T; Sondak V; Johnson T M; Fullen D

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TITLE: Targeting the proteome/epitome, implementation of subtractive immunization

AUTHOR: Zijlstra A; Testa J E; Quigley J P (Reprint)

CORPORATE SOURCE: Scripps Res Inst, Dept Cell Biol, Div Vasc Biol, 10550 N Torrey Pine Rd, La Jolla, CA USA (Reprint); Scripps Res Inst, Dept Cell Biol, Div Vasc Biol, La Jolla, CA USA

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 CORPORATE SOURCE: Fourth Mil Med Univ, Dept Pathol, Canc Res Inst, Xian
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 AUTHOR: Rudolph R (Reprint)
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Univ Kiel, Inst Pathol Christian Albrechts, Michaelisstr
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 AUTHOR: Li, Bohua; Wang, Hao; Zhang, Dapeng; Qian, Wezhu; Hou,
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AB SM5-1 is a mouse monoclonal antibody which has a high specificity for
melanoma, hepatocellular carcinoma, and breast cancer, making it a
promising candidate for cancer targeting therapy. We have therefore
attempted to construct a humanized antibody of SM5-1 to minimize its
immunogenicity for potential clinical use. Using a molecular model of
SM5-1 built by computer-assisted homology modeling, framework region (FR)
residues of potential importance to the antigen binding were identified.
Then, a humanized version of SM5-1 was generated by transferring these
mouse key FR residues onto a human framework that was selected based on
homology to the mouse framework, together with the mouse
complementarity-determining region (CDR) residues. This humanized
antibody retained only six murine residues outside of the CDRs but was
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AB Pathologists play a central role in the management of cutaneous melanoma in determining that a tumor is a melanoma, whether or not it is primary or metastatic, and whether or not the margins of excision are tumor free and in evaluating prognostic indicators from examination of the primary tumor and, where appropriate, lymph nodes, including the sentinel nodes.

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TITLE: Concordant loss of melanoma differentiation antigens in synchronous and asynchronous melanoma metastases: implications for immunotherapy

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AB Because of its known heterogeneity, the analysis of antigen expression is crucial prior to the initiation of antigen-specific immunotherapy for melanoma. The melanoma differentiation antigens gp100, MART-1 and tyrosinase are involved in a common pathway of melanin synthesis. Peptides derived from these melanoma differentiation antigens are used in the immunotherapy of melanoma and antibodies recognizing these antigens are commonly applied to detect melanocytic lesions. One hundred and ninety-one paraffin-embedded melanoma metastases from 28 patients with 2-19 lesions (mean, 6.8) developing synchronously (n = 67) or asynchronously (n = 124) were analysed by immunohistochemistry for the expression of the melanoma differentiation antigens, as well as cancer/testis antigens of the melanoma antigen (MAGE-A) family (monoclonal antibodies 77B and 57B), anti-S100 and SM5-1. The overall reactivities were 81.6% (gp100), 79.5% (MART-1), 59.6% (tyrosinase), 59.1% (77B), 60.7% (57B), 93.2% (S100) and 91.6% (SM5-1). Twenty-seven lesions (114.1%) were positive for all tumour-associated antigens, 75 lesions (39.2%) were negative for one antigen and 87 lesions (45.5%) were negative for several tumour-associated antigens. Co-ordinated loss was found for lesions negative for gp100 and MART-1 (9.4%, $P < 0.0005$), gp100 and tyrosinase (11.0%, $P = 0.009$), MART-1 and tyrosinase (15.2%, $P < 0.0005$) and gp100, MART-1 and tyrosinase (8.9%, $P < 0.0005$), which is up to six times higher than the expected calculated loss. This co-ordinated loss of melanoma differentiation antigens in melanoma did not include cancer testis

antigens and S100 or SM5-1. On average, the melanoma differentiation antigens stained 50-65% of cells within a lesion, and 10-39% of synchronous clusters were heterogeneous for melanoma differentiation antigen expression. In conclusion, broader polypeptide vaccines should be used for melanoma immunotherapy.

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AB Background: Previously we have generated the monoclonal antibody SM5-1 by using a subtractive immunization protocol of human melanoma. This antibody exhibits a high sensitivity for primary melanomas of 99% (248/250 tested) and for metastatic melanoma of 96% (146/151 tested) in paraffin embedded sections. This reactivity is superior to the one obtained by HMB-45, anti-MelanA or anti-Tyrosinase and is comparable to anti-S100. However, as compared to anti-S100, the antibody SM5-1 is highly specific for melanocytic lesions since 40 different neoplasms were found to be negative for SM5-1 by immunohistochemistry. The antigen recognized by SM5-1 is unknown.

Methods: In order to characterize the antigen recognized by mAb SM5-1, a cDNA library was constructed from the metastatic human melanoma cell line SMMUpas in the Uni-ZAP lambda phage and screened by mAb SM5-1. The cDNA clones identified by this approach were then sequenced and subsequently analyzed.

Results: Sequence analysis of nine independent overlapping clones (length 3100-5600 bp) represent fibronectin cDNA including the ED-A, but not the ED-B region which are produced by alternative splicing. The 89aa splicing variant of the IIICS region was found in 8/9 clones and the 120aa splicing variant in 1/9 clones, both of which are included in the CS1 region of fibronectin being involved in melanoma cell adhesion and spreading.

Conclusion: The molecule recognized by SM5-1 is a melanoma associated FN variant expressed by virtually all primary and metastatic melanomas and may play an important role in melanoma formation and progression. This

antibody is therefore not only of value in immunohistochemistry, but potentially also for diagnostic imaging and immunotherapy.

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AB The new monoclonal antibody SM5-1 has been shown to have significant advantages in immunohistochemistry of melanoma over currently used antibodies such as HMB-45 or anti-S100. In this study we compared the immunohistological staining pattern of SM5-1 with that of the more recently described antibodies A103 (anti-MART-1) and T311 (anti-Tyrosinase) in 344 paraffin-embedded melanoma specimens, consisting of 101 primary melanomas (77 SSM, 16 NM, 6 ALM, 2 LMM) and 243 melanoma metastases. The overall reactivity of SM5-1 for all the specimens was 92% (318/344) compared with 83% (285/344) for MART-1 and 71% (245/344) for Tyrosinase. Staining of melanoma metastases with SM5-1 was found in 91% (222/243), but only in 77% (187/243) with A103 and 63% (154/243) with T311, respectively. Staining with SM5-1 was more homogenous with 196 of 243 (80%) of metastatic lesions showing 50% or more positively stained cells within the lesions, whereas A103 and T311 did so in 141 of 243 (58%) or 117 of 243 (48%) of the lesions. With regard to staining intensity of SM5-1, 157 of 243 (64%) showed a strong or very strong staining intensity, whereas A103 and T311 did so in 85 of 243 (35%) or 70 of 243 (29%) of the lesions. Staining intensity and percentage positivity correlated well for SM5-1, because from the 58 very strong positive metastases 55 showed staining in more than 75% of the cells within a lesion. Importantly, 52 of 56 MART-1-negative metastases and 81 of 89 Tyrosinase-negative metastases were positive for SM5-1. Thirty-eight metastases (15.6%) were negative for both A103 and T311. Of those, 35 (92.1%) were positive for SM5-1, demonstrating the value of SM5-1 in identifying melanoma-associated antigen-negative lesions. We conclude that SM5-1 could be of value in immunohistochemistry of melanoma.

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AB The 3G5-reactive ganglioside antigen (3G5 antigen) is expressed on the surface of various cell types including pericytes, pancreatic islet cells, thyroid follicular cells, and cells of the pituitary and the adrenal medulla. Expression on melanocytes has not yet been reported. We examined 148 5- μ m cryosections of 12 normal skin samples and 45 skin tumors (21 melanocytic nevi, 8 malignant melanoma primaries, 4 metastases of malignant melanoma, 3 basal cell carcinomas, and 9 pigmented seborrheic keratoses) by triple fluorescence technique with the monoclonal antibody 3G5, DNA fluorochrome, and the anti-melanocytic antibody A 103 (Anti-Melan-A). In normal skin, 3G5 reactivity was detected in epidermal melanocytes of 4 of 12 cases with 14.8 \pm 24.1% positive melanocytes; 20 of 21 nevi (72.2 \pm 29.1% positive nevus cells, mean SD), 8 of 8 primary melanomas (83.9 \pm 12.3% positive melanoma cells), and 4 of 4 melanoma metastases (82.5 \pm 6.5% positive melanoma cells) expressed the 3G5 antigen. All tumor cells of investigated basal cell carcinoma or seborrheic keratosis were 3G5 negative. This is the first report of 3G5 antigen expression in melanocytes. The data demonstrate high expression of this ganglioside in the aggregated melanocytes of malignant or benign tumors but low or absent expression in singular melanocytes (normal epidermis, seborrheic keratoses) reflecting a different biologic state.

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AB Background: Sentinel lymph node (SLN) biopsy in melanoma is an increasingly used procedure. Pathologic evaluation of SLNs using immunohistochemistry improves diagnostic accuracy, yet no universally accepted standard protocol for pathologic processing of SLNs exists.
Objective: The primary purpose of this study was to evaluate Our experience with the sensitivity of the immunostains S-100, HMB-45, and Melan-A for SLN biopsy.
Methods: Ninety-nine positive SLNs from 72 patients were retrospectively reviewed for the presence of microscopic metastatic melanoma on hematoxylin and eosin (H&E), S-100, HMB-45, and Melan-A stained sections and sensitivities of each immunohistochemical stain were determined.
Results: The sensitivities of S-100, HMB-45, and Melan-A were 97%, 75%, and 96% respectively.
Conclusion: Given the lower sensitivity of HMB-45, our practice for evaluation of SLN biopsy specimens was modified using combinations of H&E, S-100, and Melan-A without HMB-45. If the H&E sections are negative or equivocal for metastatic melanoma, immunohistochemistry staining with S-100 protein and Melan-A is performed. New and improved protocols will undoubtedly be forthcoming as the field advances.

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AB Monoclonal antibody technology has generated invaluable tools for both the analytical and clinical sciences. However, standard immunization approaches frequently fail to provide monoclonal antibodies with the desired specificity. Subtractive immunization provides a powerful alternative to standard immunization and allows for the production of truly unique antibodies. With the intent of targeting specific epitopes within the proteome, subtractive immunization has been broadly and successfully implemented for the production of monoclonal antibodies otherwise unobtainable by standard immunization. Subtractive immunization utilizes a distinct immune tolerization approach that can substantially enhance the generation of monoclonal antibodies to desired antigens. The

approach is based on tolerizing the host animal to immunodominant or otherwise undesired antigen(s) (tolerogen) that may be structurally or functionally related to the antigen of interest. Tolerization of the host animal can be achieved through one of three methods: High Zone, Neonatal, or Drug-induced tolerization. The tolerized animal is then inoculated with the desired antigen (immunogen) and antibodies generated by the subsequent immune response are screened for the desired antigenic reactivity. Over the past 15 years a large number of investigators have used the subtractive approach with cleverly chosen tolerogen-immunogen combinations and successfully generated uniquely reactive antibodies which are often neutralizing or function-blocking. This review will focus on the implementation of subtractive immunization for the production of antibodies otherwise unobtainable by standard immunization. (C) 2003 Elsevier Science (USA). All rights reserved.

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AB AIM: To elucidate the expression of the apoptosis-associated molecules in human primary hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) cells, and prepare the monoclonal antibodies (mAb) against the apoptosis-associated antigens of HCC cells.

METHODS: Human HCC cell line HCC-9204 cells were induced apoptosis with 60 mL.L-1 ethanol for 6 h and their morphological changes were observed by transmission electron microscope. The cell DNA fragmentations were detected by Terminal Deoxynucleotidyl transferase-mediated dUTP nick end labeling (TUNEL) assay, and the cell DNA contents by flow cytometry. Ten mice were immunized with ethanol-induced apoptotic HCC-9204 cells with the method of subtractive immunization, while the other 10 mice used as the control were immunized by the routine procedures. The tail blood of all the mice were prepared after the last immunization, and the produced antibodies were determined by the immunocytochemical ABC staining. The splenic cells of the mice whose tail blood sera-HCC-9204 cells serum reactions were most different between the apoptotic and the non-apoptotic were prepared and fused with the mouse myeloma cell line SP2/0 cells. The positive antibodies were selected by ELISA assay. The fusion rates of hybridoma cells and the producing rates of antibodies were calculated. The fused cells that secreted candidate objective antibody were cloned continually with the of limited dilution method, and then selected and analyzed further by the immunocytochemical ABC staining. The chromosomes of the cloned hybridoma cells that secreted objective mAb and the mAb immunoglobulin (Ig) subtype of the prepared mAb were also determined. The molecular mass of the mAb associated antigen was analyzed by Western blot assay.

RESULTS: HCC-9204 cells treated with 60 mL.L-1 ethanol for 6 h, manifested obvious apoptotic morphological changes, the majority of the cells were TUNEL-positive, and the sub-G1 apoptotic peak was evident. There were 2 mice in the experimental group whose tail blood serum reacted strongly with the apoptotic HCC-9204 cells, but weakly with their non-apoptotic counterparts. In the fusion rates of hybridoma cells as well as the producing rates of the antibody described above, there did not show significant difference between the experimental and the control group, but weakly with non-apoptotic HCC-9204. However, the total producing rate of antibodies in the experimental group was significantly lower compared with the control ($P<0.01$), and so was the producing rate of the antibodies which reacted strongly with both apoptotic and non-apoptotic HCC-9204 cells ($P<0.01$). After cloned continually for several times the cell that produce mAb which reacted strongly with the nuclei of ethanol-induced apoptotic HCC-9204 cells, but very weakly with that of non-apoptotic cells was selected out. Chromosome analysis revealed that the selected cell was with the universal characteristics of the monoclonal hybridoma cells which secreted mAb, and the Ig subtype of the prepared mAb was IgG1. The molecular mass of this mAb associated antigen of was about 75 ku.

CONCLUSION: Subtractive immunization is a useful method to prepare the mAb against the apoptosis-associated antigens of cells. The expression of some molecules increases to some extent in HCC-9204 cells in the process of apoptosis induced by low-concentration ethanol. The mAb that may be against ethanol-induced apoptosis-associated antigens of HCC cells was successfully prepared and primarily identified.

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AB Melanocytic tumors are one of the major problems in diagnostic dermatopathology as they comprise benign nevi, malignant melanomas and borderline cases. Apart from a proportion of congenital lesions, most benign nevi are acquired tumors that arise during early adulthood and eventually may undergo regressive change. Histologically, they present as so-called common nevi, so-called dysplastic nevi, Spitz's nevi, blue nevi and their variants, and combined nevi. In typical cases, the distinction from a malignant melanoma is not difficult. However, benign simulators of malignancy exist as much as deceptively bland appearing melanomas and in some cases the diagnosis remains dubious despite careful weighting of criteria. Indeed, morphological features may not always suffice to disclose the nature of a melanocytic tumor. Ancillary techniques including immunohistochemistry and measurement of telomerase activity may be of assistance in this respect. One should nevertheless be aware that the biological behavior of certain borderline cases cannot be predicted

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AB Engagement of integrin receptors by the extracellular matrix (ECM)
protein fibronectin (FN) activates intracellular signaling, cytoskeletal
reorganization and cellular tension. The soluble factor lysophosphatidic
acid (LPA) acts through Rho GTPase and its effector Rho kinase (ROCK) to
enhance alpha 5 beta 1 integrin-mediated cell spreading on the Arg-Gly-Asp
(RGD) cell-binding domain of FN. A second cell-binding site for alpha 4
integrins resides in the CS1 segment of the alternatively spliced
V region of FN. We show here that LPA treatment of alpha 4 beta
1-expressing CHO alpha 4 cells on FN induced a significant decrease in

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spread cell area. LPA also decreased apoptosis induced by serum-deprivation in CHO alpha 4 and human A375 melanoma cells in an alpha 4 beta 1-dependent manner. Improvement in cell viability and changes in cell morphology were dependent on ROCK and on the number of substrate binding sites for alpha 4 beta 1. LPA signaling combined with alpha 4 beta 1-mediated adhesion appears to sustain cell viability in situations where FN matrix is limiting. Such cooperation may impact dynamic cellular events such as wound healing, fibrosis, and metastasis. (c) 2006 Elsevier B.V./International Society of Matrix Biology. All rights reserved.

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TITLE: The monoclonal antibody SM5-1 recognizes a fibronectin variant which is widely expressed in melanoma

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AB Background: Previously we have generated the monoclonal antibody SM5-1 by using a subtractive immunization protocol of human melanoma. This antibody exhibits a high sensitivity for primary melanomas of 99% (248/250 tested) and for metastatic melanoma of 96% (146/151 tested) in paraffin embedded sections. This reactivity is superior to the one obtained by HMB-45, anti-MelanA or anti-Tyrosinase and is comparable to anti-S100. However, as compared to anti-S100, the antibody SM5-1 is highly specific for melanocytic lesions since 40 different neoplasms were found to be negative for SM5-1 by immunohistochemistry. The antigen recognized by SM5-1 is unknown. Methods: In order to characterize the antigen recognized by mAb SM5-1, a cDNA library was constructed from the metastatic human melanoma cell line SMMUp05 in the Uni-ZAP lambda phage and screened by mAb SM5-1. The cDNA clones identified by this approach were then sequenced and subsequently analyzed. Results: Sequence analysis of nine independent overlapping clones (length 3100-5600 bp) represent fibronectin cDNA including the ED-A, but not the ED-B region which are produced by alternative splicing. The 89aa splicing variant of the IIICS region was found in 8/9 clones and the 120aa

splicing variant in 1/9 clones, both of which are included in the CS1 region of fibronectin being involved in melanoma cell adhesion and spreading.

Conclusion: The molecule recognized by SM5-1 is a melanoma associated FN variant expressed by virtually all primary and metastatic melanomas and may play an important role in melanoma formation and progression. This antibody is therefore not only of value in immunohistochemistry, but potentially also for diagnostic imaging and immunotherapy.

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AB Fibronectin splice variants containing the EIIIA and/or EIIIB exons are prominently expressed in the vasculature of a variety of human tumors but not in normal adult tissues. To understand the functions of these splice variants in physiological and tumor angiogenesis, we used EIIIB-null and EIIIA-null strains of mice to examine neovascularization of mouse retinas, pancreatic tumors in Rip-Tag transgenic mice, and transplanted melanomas. Contrary to expectations, physiological and tumor angiogenesis was not significantly affected by the absence of either EIIIA or EIIIB splice variants. Tumor growth was also not affected. In addition, the expression levels of smooth muscle alpha actin, believed to be modulated by EIIIA-containing fibronectins, were not affected either. Our experiments show that despite their tight regulation during angiogenesis, the presence of EIIIA or EIIIB splice variants individually is not essential for neovascularization.

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TITLE: Alternative splicing of the IIICS domain in

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AB The Heparin (Hep) II-binding domain of fibronectin regulates the formation of focal adhesions and actin stress fibers and hence plays an important role in cell spreading, migration, and fibronectin fibrillogenesis. Using human skin fibroblast cultures, we demonstrate that alternative splicing of the neighboring IIICS domain may regulate the activities of the Hep II domain in cell spreading and fibronectin fibrillogenesis. Recombinant Hep II domains, adjacent to either the IIICS domain or the H89 splice variant that contains the amino-terminal sequence of the IIICS domain, blocked fibronectin fibrillogenesis and required sulfated proteoglycans to mediate cell spreading. If the Hep II domain was adjacent to either the H0 or H95 splice variants, which both lack the amino terminus of the IIICS domain, fibrillogenesis was not inhibited and cell spreading was independent of a sulfated proteoglycan-mediated mechanism. The effect of the splice variants on the Hep II domain could be mimicked using a Hep II domain that contained only 6 amino acids from the 11115 repeat or 10 amino acids from the IIICS domain suggesting that sequences proximal to the 1,1,4 repeat determined the role of the Hep II domain in these processes. We propose that alternative splicing of the IIICS domain modulates interactions between heparan sulfate proteoglycans and the Hep II domain and that this serves as a mechanism to control the biological activities of fibronectin.

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TITLE: Identification of a novel heparin-binding site in the alternatively spliced IIICS region of fibronectin: roles of integrins and proteoglycans in cell adhesion to fibronectin splice variants

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AB The extracellular matrix molecule fibronectin (FN) is a glycoprotein whose major functional property is to support cell adhesion. FN contains at least two distinct cell-binding domains: the central cell-binding domain and the HepII/IIICS region. The HepII region comprises type III repeats 12-14 and contains proteoglycan-binding sites, while the alternatively spliced IIICS segment possesses the major alpha4 beta1 integrin-binding sites. Both cell surface proteoglycans and integrins are important for mediating the adhesion of cells to this region of FN. By comparing heparin binding to different recombinant splice variants of the HepII/IIICS region, evidence was obtained for the existence of a novel heparin-binding site in the centre of the IIICS. Site-directed mutagenesis of basic amino acid sequences in this region reduced heparin binding to recombinant HepII/IIICS proteins and, in conjunction with mutations in the HepII region, caused a synergistic loss of activity. Using the H/120 variant of FN, which contains type III repeats 12-15 and the full-length IIICS region, and the H/95 variant of FN, which contains type III repeats 12-15 but lacks the high affinity integrin-binding LDV sequence, the relative roles played by cell-surface proteoglycans and integrins in mediating cell adhesion have been investigated. This was achieved by studying the effects of anti-integrin antibodies and exogenous heparin on A375 melanoma cell attachment to the wild-type and three different mutants of H/120 and H/95 in which the potential proteoglycan-binding sites were partially or completely removed. A375 cell adhesion to H/120 and its mutants was found to involve the co-operative action of both integrin and cell-surface proteoglycan binding, although integrin made a dominant contribution. Anti-integrin antibodies and exogenous heparin were capable of inhibiting melanoma cell adhesion to H/95 and in this case adhesion was due primarily to cell-surface proteoglycan and not integrin binding. (C) 2001 Elsevier Science B.V./International Society of Matrix Biology. All rights reserved.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: XV690
TITLE: The alpha(4)beta(1) integrin can mediate leukocyte
adhesion to casein and denatured protein substrates
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AB An understanding of the binding specificity of leukocyte integrins is important to determine the range of ligands that interact with these receptors during inflammatory processes. In this study we show that the alpha(4) beta(1) integrin can interact with casein and denatured albumin and promote leukocyte adhesion through these interactions. This was demonstrated with the use of blocking antibodies directed to alpha(4) beta(1) and peptide adhesion competitors containing the alpha(4) beta(1) binding tripeptide, Leu-Asp-Val (LDV). Consistent with this data, the adhesion is completely divalent cation-dependent and is stimulated by known activators of leukocyte integrin function, namely phorbol ester and the beta(1) integrin activating antibody, 8A2. It is interesting to note that neither bovine alpha-casein or human albumin contain an LDV site (present in the CS-1 site of alternatively spliced fibronectin) or an IDS site (present in VCAM-1) yet they promote adhesion through this integrin. Furthermore, alpha(4) beta(1) directly binds to Sepharose columns containing casein, casein fragments, or denatured albumin but does not bind columns containing native albumin. These data suggest that the binding specificity for the alpha(4) beta(1) integrin is considerably broader than previously realized. This work has implications for how subsets of leukocytes may interact with damaged proteins during tissue injury and inflammation.

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AB Tenascin-C is a modular glycoprotein composed of domains of amino acid repeats. All forms of tenascin-C have eight constant fibronectin type III repeats, but additional fibronectin type LU repeats can be spliced into a variable domain found between the fifth and sixth constant repeats. Four extra repeats, named A, B, C and D, have been examined previously. Here, we have used in situ hybridization to determine the tissue origins of the navel AD1 and AD2 repeats. In the embryonic-day-10 chicken embryo, transcripts encoding the AD2 repeat are limited to the tips of lung bronchioles and the base of feather buds. In contrast the AD1 hybridization signal was widespread. Quantitative in situ hybridization reveals AD1-containing transcripts represent up to 85% of the total tenascin-C mRNA in some tissues (developing bone), and are undetectable in others (e.g. radial glia). Avian and human tumor cell

lines were examined for the expression of the ADI repeat using the reverse transcriptase polymerase chain-reaction (RT-PCR). Transcripts encoding six different tenascin-C splice variants incorporating the ADI repeat were found in the fibrosarcoma cell line, QT6. Many human tumor cells, including malignant melanoma and ductal breast carcinoma, were positive for AD1 tenascin-C expression. In addition, we found evidence of AD1 tenascin-C expression in samples of excised human tumors. Our results show that a novel variant may be a major part of the tenascin-C of the embryonic extracellular matrix, and may also be found in the stroma surrounding some human tumors.

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AB We previously reported that low levels of tyrosine (Tyr) and phenylalanine (Phe) alter the metastatic phenotype of B16-BL6 (BL6) murine melanoma and select for tumor cell populations with decreased lung colonizing ability. To more specifically characterize the effects of Tyr and Phe restriction on the malignant phenotype of BL6, we investigated in vitro attachment, invasion, proteinase expression, and chemotaxis of high and low metastatic BL6 variants. High metastatic variant cells were isolated from subcutaneous tumors of mice fed a nutritionally complete diet (ND cells) and low metastatic variant cells were isolated from mice fed a diet restricted in Tyr and Phe (LTP cells). Results indicate that attachment to reconstituted basement membrane (Matrigel(TM)) was significantly reduced in LTP cells as compared to ND cells. Attachment to collagen IV, laminin, and fibronectin were similar between the two variants. Invasion through Matrigel(TM) and growth factor-reduced Matrigel(TM) were significantly decreased in LTP cells as compared to ND cells. Zymography revealed the presence of M(r) 92 000 and M(r) 72 000 progelatinases, tissue plasminogen activator, and urokinase plasminogen activator in the conditioned medium of both variants; however, there were no differences in activity of these secreted proteinases between the two variants. Growth of the variants on growth factor-reduced Matrigel(TM) similarly induced expression of the M(r) 92 000 progelatinase. The variants exhibited similar chemotactic responses toward laminin. However, the chemotactic response toward fibronectin by LTP cells was significantly increased. MFR5, a monoclonal antibody which selectively blocks function of the alpha(5) chain of the alpha(5) beta(1)

integrin, VLA-5, decreased the chemotactic response toward fibronectin of ND cells by 37%; the chemotactic response by LTP cells was reduced by 49%. This effect was specific for fibronectin-mediated chemotaxis since the chemotaxis toward laminin and invasion through Matrigel(TM) were not altered by the presence of MFR5. The surface expression of VLA-5 was significantly increased in LTP cells as compared to ND cells by flow cytometric analysis. These observations suggest that limitation of Tyr and Phe either directly modifies BL6 or selects for subpopulations with altered in vitro invasion, chemotaxis, and integrin expression.

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AB The integrin receptor alpha(4) beta(1) (also known as VLA-4) binds two different ligands, the endothelial cell surface protein vascular cell adhesion molecule-1 (VCAM-1) and the extracellular matrix component fibronectin. Three distinct sites in fibronectin are recognized by alpha(4) beta(1). Two of these (represented by peptides CS1 and CS5) are present in the alternatively spliced IIICS region and lie in separate, independently spliced segments of this region. A third site resides in the adjacent constitutively expressed HepII domain. Recombinant proteins containing the HepII domain and different splice variants of the IIICS have been generated and compared for their ability to mediate cell attachment, spreading and migration. The activity of these proteins has also been compared with that of a recombinant soluble form of VCAM-1 (rsVCAM-1).

All the recombinant proteins supported A375-SM human melanoma cell attachment and spreading in an alpha(4) beta(1)-dependent manner, but had varied adhesive activities with rsVCAM-1 > fibronectin variants containing the CS1 sequence >> other fibronectin variants. Low concentrations of rsVCAM-1 and CS1-containing fibronectin variants effectively supported cell migration in a trans-filter assay; however, cell motility was retarded at high concentrations of the same proteins. Fibronectin variants lacking CS1 supported little or no migration.

To obtain further insight into the molecular basis of this varied adhesive activity apparent dissociation constants for each of the recombinant proteins were measured using a solid phase receptor-ligand binding assay. The results revealed a hierarchy of ligand affinities that

mirrored their adhesive activity (rsVCAM-1 > fibronectin variants containing CS1 >> other fibronectin variants).

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AB Highly metastatic, in vivo-selected cells of RAW117-H10 large-cell lymphoma have been shown to be more resistant than poorly metastatic parental RAW117-P cells to the cytolytic and cytostatic activities of activated macrophages in co-culture experiments. Activated macrophages are known to produce soluble, cytostatic respiration-inhibiting factors, and such activities can be duplicated by interferon-gamma (IFN-gama) or by combinations of IFN-gamma and Escherichia coli lipopolysaccharide (LPS). Highly metastatic RAW117-H10 cells are more resistant to the cytostatic effects of IFN-gamma and LPS than poorly metastatic RAW117-P cells, and short-term (up to 72 hr) treatment with IFN-gamma and LPS does not change the metastatic potentials of RAW117 cells. We have studied the effects of sequential selection of RAW117-P cells for increased resistance to IFN-gamma and LPS. After 7 to 13 sequential selections, the resulting variant lines were completely refractory to the growth-inhibitory effects of IFN-gamma and LPS and cross-tolerant to macrophage-conditioned medium. The selected variants also completely lost their experimental metastatic potentials and their tumorigenicities after s.c. or i.m. injection. Cytofluorographic analysis indicated reduced cell-surface expression of H-2K(d) antigen and fibronectin receptor on the variant cells but no change in surface mu heavy-chain immunoglobulin. The IFN-gamma-selected lines were less adhesive to liver microvascular endothelial cells than the unselected RAW117 cell lines, but were equally sensitive to NK cytotoxicity by spleen cells. Our results suggest that exposure to certain cytokines can affect the growth and metastatic potential of RAW117 cells and result in the selection of resistant variants with altered biologic properties. (C) 1993 Wiley-Liss, Inc.

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AB Poorly liver metastatic large-cell lymphoma RAW117-P cells were sequentially selected in vitro for increased adhesion to murine hepatic sinusoidal endothelial cells. After three or four sequential selections, the selected sublines showed increased rates of adhesion to target hepatic microvessel endothelial cells and increased formation of experimental metastases in the liver. However, the endothelial cell adhesion-selected RAW117 sublines were generally unstable and gradually lost their enhanced adhesive and metastatic properties during passage in culture. Highly metastatic, liver-selected RAW117-H10 large-cell lymphoma cells were more resistant to the cytostatic effects of interferon-gamma (IFN-gamma) than poorly metastatic unselected parental RAW117-P cells. When tested for their sensitivity to IFN-gamma, the endothelial cell adhesion variants were significantly more resistant than the unselected RAW117-P cells, but after a 72-h treatment with IFN-gamma, the in vitro-selected cells lost their enhanced endothelial cell adhesion characteristics, their potential to colonize the liver, and their ability to grow when injected at subcutaneous or intramuscular sites. In contrast, the metastatic potential of similarly treated RAW117-P cells was unaffected by IFN-gamma during a 72-h treatment. Sequential selection of RAW117-P cells for increased resistance to IFN-gamma in vitro resulted in variant lines that were refractory to the growth-inhibiting effects of IFN-gamma, and these IFN-gamma-selected variants were also less adhesive to liver microvessel endothelial cells. The IFN-gamma-selected variants also lost their experimental metastatic potentials completely anti their tumorigenicities at sites of subcutaneous or intramuscular injection. Cytofluorographic analysis indicated reduced cell surface expression of H-2K(d) antigen and fibronectin receptor on the selected variant cells but no change in cell surface mu heavy chain immunoglobulin. The unselected and selected RAW117 lines had similar sensitivities to natural killer (NK) cell-mediated cytotoxicity, indicating that the in vivo differences were probably not due to differences in NK cell-mediated cytotoxicity. The results suggest that selection for adhesion to organ microvessel endothelial cells or sequential exposure to certain cytokines can affect the adhesive, growth and metastatic properties of RAW117 cells without modifying their responses to NK cells.

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METASTATIC VARIANTS OF HUMAN PROSTATE CARCINOMA-CELLS
SELECTED BY IN-VITRO INVASION THROUGH RECONSTITUTED
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AB Highly invasive cell subpopulations from a human prostate carcinoma cell line, PC-3, were selected for by allowing the parental PC-3 cells to invade through reconstituted basement membrane, Matrigel. These cells were collected, cultured and then selected further by repeated invasion through the in vitro invasion chamber. The invasive subpopulations (I-PC3 (2) and (3)) were found to be approximately 15-fold more invasive in vitro than the parental cells, had a distinct rounded morphology in culture, and proliferated more rapidly than the parental cells. When injected either subcutaneously or intraperitoneally into immunocompromised SCID mice, the I-PC3 cells were found to form tumors at the primary sites and to be highly invasive and metastatic. In contrast, the parental PC-3 cells formed tumors at the site of inoculation in these mice but failed to invade or metastasize. The I-PC3 cells attached equally as well as PC-3 cells to fibronectin, laminin, collagen type IV and vitronectin, but unlike the parental PC-3 cells these invasive variants failed to spread on any of these substrates. On Matrigel, the PC-3 cells became highly organized, whereas the I-PC3 cells remained rounded, clumped together and penetrated into the Matrigel. Biochemical analysis of the expression of adhesion proteins and integrins demonstrated that whereas the parental cells synthesized and secreted substantial amounts of fibronectin, the I-PC3 cell variants did not secrete any fibronectin. Although both PC-3 and I-PC3 cells expressed equivalent levels of cell surface α 3 β 1, α 2 β 1 and α 5 β 1 integrins, the expression of the α 3 β 1 integrin, which is expressed at very high levels on the parental PC-3 cells, was drastically reduced on the invasive I-PC3 cells. This decrease in expression of α 3 occurred also at the level of mRNA expression. Finally, whereas the PC-3 cells express α 6 β 1, in the invasive I-PC3 cells the α 6 subunit was associated mostly with the β 4 subunit. Since the α 6 β 4 integrin is analogous to the A9 tumor antigen which is associated with aggressive human squamous cell carcinomas, the apparent overexpression of α 6 β 4 may also participate in the aggressive behavior of these variant prostate carcinoma cells. Alterations in the expression of the α 3 β 1 and α 6 β 4 integrins may thus allow these cells to become more invasive, and lead to an increased propensity for metastasis.

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TITLE: EXPRESSION AND LIGAND-BINDING FUNCTION OF THE
INTEGRIN- α 4- β 1 (VLA-4) ON NEURAL-CREST-DERIVED
TUMOR-CELL LINES

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AB Human neural-crest-derived tumor cell lines, including three neuroblastomas, an astrocytoma, a glioblastoma, a rhabdomyosarcoma and a melanoma were screened for the expression of the integrin alpha-4-beta-1 (VLA-4). The neuroblastomas IMR-32 and SK-N-SH, the astrocytoma 131-INI, the glioblastoma Fogerty and the rhabdomyosarcoma TE-671 expressed alpha-4-beta-1 as determined by cytofluorometry and immunoprecipitation. Another neuroblastoma line, LA-N-1, did not express alpha-4-beta-1. Analysis of immunoprecipitated alpha-4-beta-1 showed that the alpha-4 subunit from the various cell types differed in relative molecular weight (M(r)). The variability in the observed M(r) could be accounted for by differences in the levels of N-linked glycosylation. The observed variability in M(r) did not appear to affect function since intact cells and solubilized alpha-4-beta-1 bound to a synthetic peptide identical in sequence to the CS-1 region of the alternatively spliced IIICS domain of fibronectin, a known alpha-4-beta-1 ligand.

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: EP243
TITLE: ALTERNATIVE SPLICING OF ENDOTHELIAL-CELL
FIBRONECTIN MESSENGER-RNA IN THE IIICS REGION -
FUNCTIONAL-SIGNIFICANCE
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AB Transforming growth factor-beta-1 (TGF-beta-1) is thought to play a role in modulating vascular cell function in vivo. In vitro, it decreases endothelial cell proliferation and migration. We postulated that these biologic activities could be mediated through TGF-beta-1 modulation of specific gene expression. Therefore we differentially screened a human umbilical vein endothelial cell cDNA library with cDNAs prepared from both

untreated and TGF-beta-1-treated bovine aortic endothelial cells. Using this technique, we isolated many TGF-beta-1-induced cDNA clones. Sequence analysis of these cDNAs showed that many of them corresponded to alternatively spliced fibronectin mRNAs. These fibronectin clones all contained the extradomain I (ED I) but three different forms of the type III connecting segment (IIICS). These different fibronectin cDNAs were expressed in bacteria and the recombinant proteins used to study the effects of IIICS alternative splicing on cell attachment, spreading, and migration in bovine aortic endothelial and smooth muscle cells and B16F10 melanoma cells. The results of these experiments show that attachment and spreading of bovine aortic endothelial and smooth muscle cells depend primarily on the presence of the Arg-Gly-Asp-Ser (RGDS) sequence in the recombinant fibronectin proteins. However attachment and spreading of bovine aortic endothelial cells are modulated by alternative splicing in the IIICS region. Specifically splicing of the IIICS region decreases spreading and increases migration rates of the endothelial cells. On the contrary, using a cell line (B16F10 melanoma cells) that is known not to require the RGDS sequence for adhesion confirmed previous findings that B16F10 melanoma cells do not require the presence of the RGDS sequence for attachment and spreading. Indeed B16F10 cells were able to attach and spread on two recombinant proteins that did not contain the RGDS sequence. However attachment and spreading of B16F10 were dramatically inhibited when a 75-base pair DNA fragment was removed from the 5' end of the IIICS region. These results suggest that various regions of the fibronectin molecule may be able to interact with different cell populations to promote cell attachment and spreading, and that alternative splicing may modulate this process.

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AUTHOR: Wang Hao; Song Shuichuan; Kou Geng; Li Bohua; Zhang Dapeng; Hou Sheng; Qian Weizhu; Dai Jianxin; Tian Liang; Zhao Jian; Guo Yajun
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AB Vascular leak syndrome (VLS) is the major dose-limiting toxicity of immunotoxin and interleukin-2 therapy. It has been evidenced that VLS-inducing molecules share a three-amino acid consensus motif, (x)D(y), which may be responsible for initiating VLS. Here we have constructed a recombinant immunotoxin (SMFv-PE38KDEL) by genetically fusing PE38KDEL to a single-chain antibody derived from SM5-1 monoclonal antibody, which has a high specificity for melanoma, hepatocellular carcinoma and breast cancer. In order to eliminate VLS induced by this PE38KDEL-based immunotoxin, a panel of mutants were generated by changing amino acid residues adjacent to its three (x)D(y) motifs in the three-dimensional structure. One of the SMFv-PE38KDEL mutants, denoted as

mut1, displayed a similar protein synthesis inhibitory in a reticulocyte lysate translation assay compared to the wild-type SMFv-PE38KDEL (wt). The in vitro cytotoxicity assay indicated that mut1 specifically killed SM5-1 binding protein-positive tumor cells, although its cytotoxicity was slightly less than weight. In contrast, mut1 was shown to be much weaker in inducing VLS in mice than weight. The LD(50) values of wt and mut1 in mice were investigated with the result that the LD(50) of mut1 was about tenfold higher than that of weight. The in vivo antitumor activity of wt and mut1 were also compared in tumor-bearing nude mice. Both wt and mut1 were effective in inhibiting the tumor growth but mut1 showed improved therapeutic efficacy. These studies suggest mut1 may be a novel PE-based immunotoxin with much less toxicity for clinical use.

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 TITLE: Construction and characterization of a high-affinity humanized SM5-1 monoclonal antibody.
 AUTHOR: Li Bohua; Wang Hao; Zhang Dapeng; Qian Weizhu; Hou Sheng; Shi Shu; Zhao Lei; Kou Geng; Cao Zhiguo; Dai Jianxin; Guo Yajun
 CORPORATE SOURCE: International Joint Cancer Institute, Second Military Medical University, 800 Xiangyin Road, Shanghai 200433, People's Republic of China.
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AB SM5-1 is a mouse monoclonal antibody which has a high specificity for melanoma, hepatocellular carcinoma, and breast cancer, making it a promising candidate for cancer targeting therapy. We have therefore attempted to construct a humanized antibody of SM5-1 to minimize its immunogenicity for potential clinical use. Using a molecular model of SM5-1 built by computer-assisted homology modeling, framework region (FR) residues of potential importance to the antigen binding were identified. Then, a humanized version of SM5-1 was generated by transferring these mouse key FR residues onto a human framework that was selected based on homology to the mouse framework, together with the mouse complementarity-determining region (CDR) residues. This humanized antibody retained only six murine residues outside of the CDRs but was shown to possess affinity and specificity comparable to that of the parental antibody, suggesting that it might have the potential to be developed for future clinical use.

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 TITLE: Preparation and Characterization of Paclitaxel-loaded PLGA nanoparticles coated with cationic SM5-1 single-chain antibody.
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AB The purpose of this study was to develop paclitaxel-loaded
poly(lactide-co-glycolide) (PLGA) nanoparticles coated with cationic
SM5-1 single-chain antibody (scFv) containing a
polylysine (SMFv-polylys). SM5-1 scFv (SMFv) is
derived from SM5-1 monoclonal antibody, which binds to
a 230 kDa membrane protein specifically expressed on melanoma,
hepatocellular carcinoma and breast cancer cells. SMFv-polylys was
expressed in Escherichia coli and purified by cation-exchange
chromatography. Purified SMFv-polylys was fixed to paclitaxel-loaded PLGA
nanoparticles to form paclitaxel-loaded PLGA nanoparticles coated with
SMFv-polylys (Ptx-NP-S). Ptx-NP-S was shown to retain the specific
antigen-binding affinity of SMFv-polylys to SM5-1
binding protein-positive Ch-hep-3 cells. Finally, the cytotoxicity of
Ptx-NP-S was evaluated by a non-radioactive cell proliferation assay. It
was demonstrated that Ptx-NP-S had significantly enhanced in vitro
cytotoxicity against Ch-hep-3 cells as compared with non-targeted
paclitaxel-loaded PLGA nanoparticles. In conclusion, our results suggest
that cationic SMFv-polylys has been successfully generated and may be used
as targeted ligand for preparing cancer-targeted nanoparticles.

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TITLE: A chimeric SM5-1 antibody inhibits
hepatocellular carcinoma cell growth and induces
caspase-dependent apoptosis.
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Weizhu; Kou Geng; Zhang Dapeng; Li Jing; Tan Min; Ma
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AB cSM5-1 is a mouse-human chimeric antibody which has a high specificity for
hepatocellular carcinoma, melanoma and breast cancer. In this study,
cSM5-1 was found to be able to inhibit cell growth and induce apoptosis in

hepatocellular carcinoma cells. The antitumor activity of cSM5-1 was closely correlated with the expression level of the SM5-1 binding protein in the cancer cells. The role of caspases in cSM5-1-induced apoptosis was also investigated, indicating that cSM5-1-induced apoptosis was partially caspase-dependent and caspase-10 played a critical role. These in vitro data indicate that cSM5-1 has the potential to be a promising candidate for cancer treatment.

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method and application;
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immunotoxin composition, useful for an immunotherapy
application

AUTHOR: GUO Y

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AB DERWENT ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - A separated polypeptide which contains the single-chain antibody ScFv of human monoclonal antibody SM5-1 taken from rat and the immunotoxin PE38KDEL coupled with said ScFv or the mutant whose amino acids at the sites No.293,297,328,416,417,421,576,578 and 579 are mutated, the DNA molecule coding said polypeptide, the expression carrier and host cell containing said DNA molecule, its preparing process and application, and the medicinal composition containing said polypeptide are disclosed.

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TITLE: Concordant loss of melanoma differentiation antigens in
synchronous and asynchronous melanoma metastases:
implications for immunotherapy.

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AB Because of its known heterogeneity, the analysis of antigen expression is crucial prior to the initiation of antigen-specific immunotherapy for melanoma. The melanoma differentiation antigens gp100, MART-1 and tyrosinase are involved in a common pathway of melanin synthesis. Peptides derived from these melanoma differentiation antigens are used in

the immunotherapy of melanoma and antibodies recognizing these antigens are commonly applied to detect melanocytic lesions. One hundred and ninety-one paraffin-embedded melanoma metastases from 28 patients with 2-19 lesions (mean, 6.8) developing synchronously (n = 67) or asynchronously (n = 124) were analysed by immunohistochemistry for the expression of the melanoma differentiation antigens, as well as cancer/testis antigens of the melanoma antigen-A (MAGE-A) family (monoclonal antibodies 77B and 57B), anti-S100 and SM5-1. The overall reactivities were 81.6% (gp100), 79.5% (MART-1), 59.6% (tyrosinase), 59.1% (77B), 60.7% (57B), 93.2% (S100) and 91.6% (SM5-1). Twenty-seven lesions (14.1%) were positive for all tumour-associated antigens, 75 lesions (39.2%) were negative for one antigen and 87 lesions (45.5%) were negative for several tumour-associated antigens. Co-ordinated loss was found for lesions negative for gp100 and MART-1 (9.4%, $P < 0.0005$), gp100 and tyrosinase (11.0%, $P = 0.009$), MART-1 and tyrosinase (15.2%, $P < 0.0005$) and gp100, MART-1 and tyrosinase (8.9%, $P < 0.0005$), which is up to six times higher than the expected calculated loss. This co-ordinated loss of melanoma differentiation antigens in melanoma did not include cancer testis antigens and S100 or SM5-1. On average, the melanoma differentiation antigens stained 50-65% of cells within a lesion, and 10-39% of synchronous clusters were heterogeneous for melanoma differentiation antigen expression. In conclusion, broader polypeptide vaccines should be used for melanoma immunotherapy.

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006050213 MEDLINE
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 TITLE: The monoclonal antibody SM5-1 recognizes a fibronectin variant which is widely expressed in melanoma.
 AUTHOR: Trefzer Uwe; Chen Yingwen; Herberth Gunda; Hofmann Maja Ann; Kiecker Felix; Guo Yajun; Sterry Wolfram
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 AB BACKGROUND: Previously we have generated the monoclonal antibody SM5-1 by using a subtractive immunization protocol of human melanoma. This antibody exhibits a high sensitivity for primary melanomas of 99% (248/250 tested) and for metastatic melanoma of 96% (146/151 tested) in paraffin embedded sections. This reactivity is superior to the one obtained by HMB-45, anti-MelanA or anti-Tyrosinase and is comparable to anti-S100. However, as compared to anti-S100, the antibody SM5-1 is highly specific for melanocytic lesions since 40 different neoplasms were found to be negative for SM5-1 by immunohistochemistry. The antigen recognized by SM5-1 is unknown. METHODS: In order to characterize the antigen recognized by mAb SM5-1, a cDNA library was constructed from the metastatic human melanoma cell line SMMUpus in the Uni-ZAP lambda phage and screened by mAb SM5-

1. The cDNA clones identified by this approach were then sequenced and subsequently analyzed. RESULTS: Sequence analysis of nine independent overlapping clones (length 3100-5600 bp) represent fibronectin cDNA including the ED-A, but not the ED-B region which are produced by alternative splicing. The 89aa splicing variant of the IIICS region was found in 8/9 clones and the 120aa splicing variant in 1/9 clones, both of which are included in the CS1 region of fibronectin being involved in melanoma cell adhesion and spreading. CONCLUSION: The molecule recognized by SM5-1 is a melanoma associated FN variant expressed by virtually all primary and metastatic melanomas and may play an important role in melanoma formation and progression. This antibody is therefore not only of value in immunohistochemistry, but potentially also for diagnostic imaging and immunotherapy.

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AB Background: Previously we have generated the monoclonal antibody SM5-I by using a subtractive immunization protocol of human melanoma. This antibody exhibits a high sensitivity for primary melanomas of 99% (248/250 tested) and for metastatic melanoma of 96% (146/151 tested) in paraffin embedded sections. This reactivity is superior to the one obtained by HMB-45, anti-MelanA or anti-Tyrosinase and is comparable to anti-S100. However, as compared to anti-S100, the antibody SM5-I is highly specific for melanocytic lesions since 40 different neoplasms were found to be negative for SM5-I by immunohistochemistry. The antigen recognized by SM5-I is unknown. Methods: In order to characterize the antigen recognized by mAb SM5-I, a cDNA library was constructed from the metastatic human melanoma cell line SMMUp05 in the Uni-ZAP lambda phage and screened by mAb SM5-I. The cDNA clones identified by this approach were then sequenced and subsequently analyzed. Results: Sequence analysis of nine independent overlapping clones (length 3100-5600 bp) represent fibronectin cDNA including the ED-A, but not the ED-B region which are produced by alternative splicing. The 89aa splicing variant of the IIICS region was found in 8/9 clones and the 120aa splicing variant in 1/9 clones, both of which are included in the CSI region of fibronectin being involved in melanoma cell adhesion and spreading. Conclusion: The molecule recognized

by SM5-I is a melanoma associated FN variant expressed by virtually all primary and metastatic melanomas and may play an important role in melanoma formation and progression. This antibody is therefore not only of value in immunohistochemistry, but potentially also for diagnostic imaging and immunotherapy. .COPYRGT. 2006 Trefzer et al; licensee BioMed Central Ltd.

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DUPLICATE 9

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005-19340 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: New antibody competitively inhibiting immunospecific binding of a human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody to a SM5-1 target antigen, useful in treating malignancies such as melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma; plasmid-mediated gene transfer and expression in COS cell for humanized antibody production for use in cancer diagnosis and immunotherapy

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AB DERWENT ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - An antibody that competitively inhibits the immunospecific binding of a human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody to a SM5-1 target antigen, where the variable region of heavy chain of the human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises a fully defined sequence of 119 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 1 or 9) and the variable region of light chain comprises a fully defined sequence of 112 or 113 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 2 or 10), is new.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following: (1) a human or humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody, where the variable region of heavy chain of the human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises SEQ ID NO: 1 or 9, and the variable region of light chain comprises SEQ ID NO: 2 or 10; (2) an isolated nucleic acid comprising a nucleotide sequence encoding the heavy chain and/or light chain, or its fragment, of the antibody cited above and/or the antibody of (1); (3) an isolated nucleic acid comprising a nucleotide sequence complementary to the nucleotide sequence of (2); (4) a vector comprising the nucleic acid of (2); (5) a recombinant cell containing the nucleic acid of (2); (6) producing an antibody, or its fragment, comprising growing a recombinant cell containing the nucleic acid of (2), so that the encoded antibody, or its fragment, is expressed by the cell, where the antibody is a human or humanized antibody, and recovering the expressed antibody, or its fragment; (7) a pharmaceutical composition comprising the antibody cited above, or the humanized antibody of (1) and a pharmaceutical carrier or excipient, where the variable region of heavy chain of the humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 31-35, 50-66 and 99-108 of SEQ ID NO: 1 and the variable region of light chain comprises the amino acid sequences 24-40, 56-62 and 95-102 of SEQ ID NO: 2; (8) a kit comprising the antibody cited above, or the human or humanized antibody of (1), where the variable region of heavy chain of the humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 31-35, 50-66 and 99-108 of SEQ ID NO: 1 and the variable region of light chain comprises the amino acid sequences 24-40, 56-62 and 95-102 of SEQ ID NO: 2; (9)

treating neoplasm in a mammal, comprising administering to a mammal to which such treatment is needed or desirable, the antibody cited above or the combination of (10); (10) a combination comprising the antibody cited above, and an anti-neoplasm agent; (11) inducing caspase-10 mediated apoptosis in a cell, comprising administering to a cell to which the induction is needed or desirable, an effective amount of the antibody cited above; (12) a conjugate comprising the antibody cited above conjugated to a toxin and/or a radioactive isotope; (13) assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen in a sample, comprising obtaining a sample from a subject to be tested, contacting the sample with an antibody cited above to allow binding between the human SM5-1 target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody, and assessing binding between the human SM5-1 target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody to determine presence, absence and/or amount of the human SM5-1 target antigen in the sample; and (14) a kit for assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen in a sample, comprising the antibody cited above or the antibody of (1), and means for assessing binding between the human SM5-1 target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody to determine presence, absence and/or amount of the human SM5-1 target antigen in the sample.

BIOTECHNOLOGY - Preferred Antibody: The antibody cited above is a polyclonal antibody, a monoclonal antibody, a Fab fragment, a Fab' fragment, a F(ab')₂ fragment, a Fv fragment, a diabody, a single-chain antibody or a multi-specific antibody formed from antibody fragments. The variable region of heavy chain of the antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 31-35, 50-66 and 99-108 in SEQ ID NO: 1 or 9 and the variable region of light chain of said antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 24-40, 56-62 and 95-102 in SEQ ID NO: 2 or 10. The variable region of heavy chain of the antibody further comprises the amino acid sequence in SEQ ID NO: 1 or 9, and the variable region of light chain of the antibody comprises the amino acid sequence in SEQ ID NO: 2 or 10. The antibody having a variable region of heavy chain with SEQ ID NO: 1 is a humanized antibody. The variable region of heavy chain of the antibody further comprises a fully defined sequence of 119 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 3), and the variable region of light chain of the antibody comprises a fully defined sequence of 113 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 4). **Preferred Nucleic Acid:** The nucleic acid further comprises a fully defined sequence of 357 or 339 base pairs (SEQ ID NO: 11 or 12). **Preferred Vector:** The vector further comprises expression modulation sequence operatively linked to the nucleic acid encoding the heavy and/or light chain, or its fragments, to the antibody. **Preferred Recombinant Cell:** The recombinant cell is a eukaryote or Chinese hamster ovary (CHO) cell. **Preferred Method:** Producing an antibody further comprises isolating and/or purifying the recovered antibody or its fragment. The mammal treated with is a human. The neoplasm is melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma. The antibody is a human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody, and exerts its anti-neoplasm effect via antibody dependent cell mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC) or complement dependent cell mediated cytotoxicity (CDC). The cell in inducing caspase-10 mediated apoptosis is a mammalian cell, or is contained in a mammal. Assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen is used in the prognosis or diagnosis of a neoplasm that is a melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma. **Preferred Combination:** The anti-neoplasm agent in the combination is an agent that treats melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma.

ACTIVITY - Cytostatic. 32 tumor-bearing nude mice (bearing QYC cells) were randomly divided into 4 groups with 8 mice for each group. The labeled antibodies were injected into tail vein at a dosage of 5 GBq/kg for the therapeutic group. Eight weeks later, the tumor volume and survival condition were recorded. The results showed that the 131I

labeled chimeric and humanized anti-human SM5-1 monoclonal antibodies were effective for tumor (hepatocellular carcinoma cells) bearing mice. These antibodies reduced tumor mass significantly and improved survival rate of tumor-bearing mice.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - Gene-Therapy.

USE - The methods and compositions of the present invention are useful in the fields of cancer biology and immunotherapy, in particular for diagnosing and treating malignancies such as melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma.

ADMINISTRATION - Dosage of the pharmaceutical composition ranges from 100 mug/kg to 10 mg/kg body weight. Routes of administration of the pharmaceutical compositions include oral, intramuscular, intraperitoneal, intravenous, subcutaneous and mucosal.

EXAMPLE - The VH of the human antibody KOL was chosen as framework for the humanized heavy chain and the VL of human Bence-Jones protein REI was chosen for the humanized light chain. The three CDRs from mSNM5-1 light chain or heavy chain were directly grafted into human antibody light or heavy chain framework regions to generate a humanized antibody gene. The light and heavy variable region genes of humanized antibodies were synthesized by overlapping PCR method. The humanized VL and VH were cloned into pMG18-3K expression vector and was expressed transiently in COS cells yielding humanized version. Humanized antibody in COS cell culture supernatant was quantitated by ELISA and the binding of this to hepatocellular carcinoma cell line QYC was determined by FCM. The antigen binding activity assay indicated that this antibody bound poorly to human melanoma cells. The humanized version was designated as ReSM5-1 and its variable region of heavy chain comprises a fully defined sequence of 119 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 1) and the variable region of light chain comprises a fully defined sequence of 112 (SEQ ID NO: 2).(85 pages)

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DUPLICATE 10

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005-31210 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: New antibodies specific for SM5-1
antigen, useful for treating cancer, e.g. melanoma, breast
cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma;
involving vector-mediated gene transfer and expression in
Chinese hamster ovary for use in cancer diagnosis and
prognosis

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AB DERWENT ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - A humanized or human antibody which binds to an antigen which is bound by a murine antibody produced by hybridoma cells deposited with the American Type Culture Collection under Deposit Designation of HB-12588 or a murine antibody which has a heavy chain variable region sequence comprising 119 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 3) and a light chain variable region sequence comprising 113 amino acids (SEQ ID NO: 4), is new.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for: (1) an isolated nucleic acid comprising a nucleotide sequence encoding the heavy chain and/or the light chain, or their fragment, of the humanized or human antibody above; (2) a vector containing the nucleic acid of (1); (3) a recombinant cell containing the nucleic acid of (1); (4) a pharmaceutical composition comprising an amount of the humanized or human

antibody above and a pharmaceutical carrier or excipient; (5) a kit comprising an amount of an antibody above and instructions for administering the antibody, where the antibody is a human antibody; (6) a combination comprising an amount of the humanized or human antibody above, and an amount of an anti-cancer agent; (7) a method for treating cancer in a mammal; (8) a method for inducing caspase-10 mediated apoptosis in a cell; (9) a conjugate comprising the humanized or human antibody above conjugated to a toxin and/or a radioactive isotope; and (10) a method for assaying for a human target antigen in a sample.

BIOTECHNOLOGY - Preferred Antibody: The humanized or human antibody binds to an epitope which is different from the epitope bound by the murine antibody. The humanized or human antibody binds to an epitope of the antigen which is the same as the epitope bound by the murine antibody. The human or humanized antibody is a polyclonal antibody, a monoclonal antibody, a Fab fragment, a Fab' fragment, a F(ab')₂ fragment, a Fv fragment, a diabody, a single-chain antibody, or a multi-specific antibody formed from antibody fragments. The humanized or human antibody competitively inhibits the binding of a murine antibody for breast cancer MCF7 cell line (ATCC HTB-22) or melanoma cell line A375.S2 (ATCC CRL-1872), where the murine antibody is produced by hybridoma cells deposited with the American Type Culture Collection under Deposit Designation of HB-12588 or a murine antibody which has a heavy chain variable region sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3 and a light chain variable region sequence of SEQ ID NO: 4. **Preferred Vector:** The vector further comprises an expression modulation sequence operatively linked to the nucleic acid encoding the heavy chain and/or the light chain, or their fragment, of the antibody. **Preferred Recombinant Cell:** The recombinant cell is a eukaryote cell, preferably a CHO cell. **Preferred Combination:** The anticancer agent is an agent that is used for treating melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma. **Preferred Method:** Treating cancer in a mammal comprises administering to the mammal an amount of the humanized or human antibody above, where cancer cells of the cancer express an antigen described above. The mammal is a human. The humanized or human antibody is a human or humanized monoclonal antibody. The humanized or human antibody exerts its anti-cancer effect via antibody dependent cell mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC) or complement dependent cell mediated cytotoxicity (CDC). Alternatively, the method comprises administering to the mammal, an amount of a combination of (6). Treating cancer in a mammal comprises administering to the mammal, an amount of an antibody, where the administered antibody: (a) reacts with an antigen bound by (i) a murine antibody produced by hybridoma cells deposited with the American Type Culture Collection under Deposit Designation of HB-12588 or (ii) a murine antibody which has a heavy chain variable region sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3 and a light chain variable region sequence of SEQ ID NO: 4; or (b) competitively inhibits the binding of a murine antibody for breast cancer MCF7 cell line (ATCC HTB-22) or melanoma cell line A375.S2 (ATCC CRL-1872), where the competitively inhibited murine antibody is produced by hybridoma cells deposited with the American Type Culture Collection under Deposit Designation of HB-12588 or has a heavy chain variable region sequence of SEQ ID NO: 3 and a light chain variable region sequence of SEQ ID NO: 4. The administered antibody is not the murine antibody produced by hybridoma cells deposited with the American Type Culture Collection under Deposit Designation of HB-12588. Inducing caspase-10 mediated apoptosis in a cell comprises contacting the cell with an amount of the humanized or human antibody above. The cell is a mammalian cell. The cell is contained in a mammal. Assaying for a human target antigen in a sample comprises: (a) obtaining a sample from a subject to be tested; (b) contacting the sample with an antibody to the target antigen under conditions to allow binding between the target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody; and (c) assessing binding between the human target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody to determine presence, absence and/or amount

of the human target antigen in the sample, where the antibody binds to an antigen described above, and where the sample is other than a tissue from a melanoma patient. The method is used in the prognosis or diagnosis of a cancer. The antibody used in step (b) is or is not the murine antibody produced by hybridoma cells deposited with the American Type Culture Collection under Deposit Designation of HB-12588.

ACTIVITY - Cytostatic; Apoptotic. Forty female nude mice were inoculated subcutaneously (s.c.) with QYC. After seven weeks, tumor masses reached 0.5 cm in diameter. Mice were randomly divided into 5 groups: 8 mice for PBS group; 8 mice for non-related antibody, chimeric anti-human CD3 mAb, 4 mg/kg; 8 mice for humanized anti-human CD3 mAb, 4 mg/kg; 8 mice for anti-human SM5-1 chimeric mAb, 4 mg/kg; 8 mice for anti-human SM5-1 humanized mAb, 4 mg/kg. Four mAbs were diluted into final concentration 0.4 mg/ml with PBS. Mice were tail vein injected at 4 mg/kg/week through tail vein, with the control injected equal volume of PBS. According to body weight of nude mice, injection volume was about 250 μ l for each nude mouse. After 6 weeks, size of the tumor mass was measured in each mouse and statistical analyzed. Results indicated that both chimeric and humanized anti-human SM5-1 monoclonal antibodies were effective in controlling the size of the tumor mass formed by human hepatocellular carcinoma cell line QYC. These antibodies may function via ADCC and/or CDC.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - Antibody therapy.

USE - The antibody, composition, and method are useful for treating cancer, e.g. melanoma, breast cancer or hepatocellular carcinoma, a primary cancer, or metastatic cancer. The antibody is also useful for assaying the cancer antigen, especially for the diagnosis or prognosis of cancer. (All claimed).

ADMINISTRATION - Dosage is 100-750 micrograms/kg by injection (e.g. intraperitoneal, intravenous, subcutaneous, or intramuscular), oral, or mucosal means.

EXAMPLE - CHOdhfr-cells were maintained in complete DMEM medium. Appropriate expression vector was transfected into CHOdhfr-cells using Lipofectamine 2000 reagent. The transfected cells were then selected. Drug resistant clones were picked and expanded for further analysis. The culture supernatants from cell clones were analyzed for antibody production by the sandwich ELISA which used goat anti-human IgG(Fc) as capture antibody and goat anti-human kappa-HRP as detector antibody. Purified human IgG1/Kappa was used as a standard in the ELISA assay. The clone producing the highest amount of antibody was selected and grown in serum-free medium. The recombinant antibody (ReSM5-1) was purified by Protein A affinity chromatography from the serum-free culture supernatant. (41 pages)

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DUPLICATE 11

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TITLE: New antibody that competitively inhibits the immunospecific
binding of a human SM5-1 specific
monoclonal antibody to a SM5-1 target
antigen, useful for diagnosing or treating neoplasms, e.g.
melanoma or breast cancer;
antibody production against human SM5-1
for use in disease therapy and diagnosis

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for: (1) a human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody, where the variable region of heavy chain of the human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises SEQ ID NO. 9 and the variable region of light chain of the human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises SEQ ID NO. 10; (2) a humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody, where the variable region of heavy chain of the humanized antibody comprises SEQ ID NO. 1 and the variable region of light chain of the humanized antibody comprises SEQ ID NO. 2; (3) an isolated nucleic acid comprising: (a) a nucleotide sequence encoding the heavy chain and/or the light chain or a fragment of the antibody; (b) a nucleotide sequence encoding the heavy chain and/or the light chain or a fragment of the human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody; (c) a nucleotide sequence encoding the heavy chain and/or the light chain or a fragment of the humanized antibody; or (d) a nucleotide sequence complementary to the nucleotide sequences above; (4) a vector containing the nucleic acid of (3); (5) a recombinant cell containing the nucleic acid of (3); (6) a method of producing the antibody or its fragment; (7) a pharmaceutical composition comprising: (a) an amount of the antibody and a pharmaceutical carrier or excipient, where the antibody is a human antibody; or (b) an amount of a humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody and a pharmaceutical carrier or excipient, where the variable region of heavy chain of the humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 31-35, 50-66, and 99-108 of SEQ ID NO. 1 and the variable region of light chain of the SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 24-40, 56-62, and 95-102 of SEQ ID NO. 2; (8) a kit comprising: (a) an amount of an antibody and an instruction means for administering the antibody, where the antibody is a human antibody; or (b) an amount of a humanized SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody and an instruction means for administering the antibody; (9) treating neoplasm in a mammal; (10) a combination comprising: (a) an amount of the antibody; and (b) an amount of an anti-neoplasm agent; (11) inducing caspase-10 mediated apoptosis in a cell; (12) a conjugate comprising the antibody conjugated to a toxin and/or a radioactive isotope; (13) assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen in a sample; and (14) a kit for assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen in a sample comprising: (a) the antibody; and (b) means for assessing binding between the human SM5-1 target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody to determine presence, absence, and/or amount of the human SM5-1 target antigen in the sample.

BIOTECHNOLOGY - Preferred Antibody: The antibody is selected from polyclonal antibody, monoclonal antibody, Fab fragment, Fab' fragment, F(ab')₂ fragment, Fv fragment, diabody, single-chain antibody, or multi-specific antibody formed from antibody fragments. The variable region of heavy chain of the antibody comprises the amino acids 31-35, 50-66, and 99-108 of SEQ ID NO. 1 or 9 and the variable region of light chain of the antibody comprises the amino acids 24-40, 56-62, and 95-102 of SEQ ID NO. 2 or 10. The variable region of heavy chain of the antibody comprises SEQ ID NO. 9, and the variable region of light chain of the

antibody comprises SEQ ID NO. 10. Preferably, the antibody is a humanized antibody. The variable region of heavy chain of the antibody comprises 119 amino acids (SEQ ID NO. 3) and the variable region of light chain of the antibody comprises 113 amino acids (SEQ ID NO. 4). Preferred Nucleic Acid: The nucleic acid comprises 357 (SEQ ID NO. 5 or 11) or 339 bp (SEQ ID NO. 6 or 12). Preferred Vector: The vector further comprises expression modulation sequence operatively linked to the nucleic acid encoding the heavy chain and/or the light chain or a fragment of the antibody. Preferred Cell: The recombinant cell is a eukaryotic cell. Preferably, it is a CHO cell. Preferred Method: Producing an antibody or its fragment comprises growing a recombinant cell containing the nucleic acid so that the encoded antibody or its fragment is expressed by the cell, where the antibody is a human antibody, and recovering the expressed the antibody or fragment. It further comprises isolating and/or purifying the recovered antibody or fragment. Treating neoplasm in a mammal comprises administering to a mammal to which the treatment is needed or desirable, an amount of the antibody. The mammal is a human. The neoplasm is melanoma, breast cancer, or hepatocellular carcinoma. The antibody is a human SM5-1 specific monoclonal antibody. It exerts its anti-neoplasm effect via antibody dependent cell mediated cytotoxicity (ADCC) or complement dependent cell mediated cytotoxicity (CDC). The antibody is also a humanized antibody, where the variable region of heavy chain of the humanized antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 31-35, 50-66, and 99-108 of SEQ ID NO. 1 and the variable region of light chain of the humanized antibody comprises the amino acid sequences 24-40, 56-62, and 95-102 of SEQ ID NO. 2. Alternatively, treating neoplasm in a mammal comprises administering to a mammal to which the treatment is needed or desirable, an amount of the combination. Inducing caspase-10 mediated apoptosis in a cell comprises administering to a cell to which the induction is needed or desirable, an amount of the antibody. The cell is a mammalian cell or is contained in a mammal. Assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen in a sample comprises: (a) obtaining a sample from a subject to be tested; (b) contacting the sample with an antibody to allow binding between the human SM5-1 target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody; and (c) assessing binding between the human SM5-1 target antigen, if present in the sample, to the antibody to determine presence, absence, and/or amount of the human SM5-1 target antigen in the sample. Preferred Combination: The anti-neoplasm agent is an agent that treats melanoma, breast cancer, or hepatocellular carcinoma.

ACTIVITY - Cytostatic. No biological data given.

MECHANISM OF ACTION - Gene Therapy.

USE - The method of assaying for human SM5-1 target antigen in a sample is useful for the prognosis or diagnosis of a neoplasm. The neoplasm is melanoma, breast cancer, or hepatocellular carcinoma (all claimed). The antibody is useful for the diagnosis and treatment of neoplasms, including melanoma, breast cancer, or hepatocellular carcinoma.

ADMINISTRATION - Dosage is 100 microg/kg - 200 mg/kg body weight. Administration can be intraperitoneally, intravenously, subcutaneously, intramuscularly, or orally.

EXAMPLE - No suitable example given. (40 pages)

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AB This invention relates to monoclonal antibodies that recognize an antigen specific to melanocytic lesions. These antibodies are useful in methods of isolating melanoma cells and diagnosing melanocytic lesions. These antibodies are also useful for immunotherapy against melanoma. Monoclonal antibody SM5-1 was prepared by immunizing mice with human melanoma cell lines SMMU-1 and SMMU-2 and using the splenocytes to make hybridomas. SM5-1 was used in immunohistochem. staining of tissues. The antibody stained melanoma tissues but did not stain non-melanocytic malignant tumors or most normal human tissues.

L6 ANSWER 13 OF 19 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 12
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 TITLE: Differential expression of MART-1, tyrosinase, and SM5-1 in primary and metastatic melanoma.
 AUTHOR: Reinke Susanne; Koniger Peter; Herberth Gunda; Audring Heike; Wang Hao; Ma Jing; Guo Yajun; Sterry Wolfram; Trefzer Uwe
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AB The new monoclonal antibody SM5-1 has been shown to have significant advantages in immunohistochemistry of melanoma over currently used antibodies such as HMB-45 or anti-S100. In this study we compared the immunohistological staining pattern of SM5-1 with that of the more recently described antibodies A103 (anti-MART-1) and T311 (anti-Tyrosinase) in 344 paraffin-embedded melanoma specimens, consisting of 101 primary melanomas (77 SSM, 16 NM, 6 ALM, 2 LMM) and 243 melanoma metastases. The overall reactivity of SM5-1 for all the specimens was 92% (318/344) compared with 83% (285/344) for MART-1 and 71% (245/344) for Tyrosinase. Staining of melanoma metastases with SM5-1 was found in 91% (222/243), but only in 77% (187/243) with A103 and 63% (154/243) with T311, respectively. Staining with SM5-1 was more homogenous with 196 of 243 (80%) of metastatic lesions showing 50% or more positively stained cells within the lesions, whereas A103 and T311 did so

in 141 of 243 (58%) or 117 of 243 (48%) of the lesions. With regard to staining intensity of SM5-1, 157 of 243 (64%) showed a strong or very strong staining intensity, whereas A103 and T311 did so in 85 of 243 (35%) or 70 of 243 (29%) of the lesions. Staining intensity and percentage positivity correlated well for SM5-1, because from the 58 very strong positive metastases 55 showed staining in more than 75% of the cells within a lesion. Importantly, 52 of 56 MART-1-negative metastases and 81 of 89 Tyrosinase-negative metastases were positive for SM5-1. Thirty-eight metastases (15.6%) were negative for both A103 and T311. Of those, 35 (92.1%) were positive for SM5-1, demonstrating the value of SM5-1 in identifying melanoma-associated antigen-negative lesions. We conclude that SM5-1 could be of value in immunohistochemistry of melanoma.

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 TITLE: preparation and applications of a monoclonal antibody against melanoma associated antigen composition
 INVENTOR(S): Ma, Jing; Wang, Hao; Liu, Qingfa
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Shanghai CP Guojian Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd., Peop. Rep. China
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AB A monoclonal antibody SM5-1 against melanoma specific antigen is produced from the B cell hybridoma line (ATCC No.HB-12,588). The prepared antibody is used to detect and sep. melanoma cells. SM5-1 is also used to screen melanoma specific antigen from melanoma cDNA library transfected COS-7 cells. Fusion protein and anti-melanoma drugs containing SM5-1 are also prepared

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 THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 756LU
 TITLE: Monoclonal antibody SM5-1 can inhibit tumor cells' growth and induce caspase-10 related apoptosis.
 AUTHOR: Dai J X (Reprint); Jin J; Yang S L; Ma J; Qian W Z; Wang H; Guo Y J
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Eppley Inst Res Canc, Omaha, NE USA; Shanghai Int Joint Canc Inst, Shanghai, Peoples R China
 COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: USA; Peoples R China
 SOURCE: CLINICAL CANCER RESEARCH, (1 DEC 2003) Vol. 9, No. 16, Part 2, Supp. [S], pp. 6206S-6207S.
 ISSN: 1078-0432.
 PUBLISHER: AMER ASSOC CANCER RESEARCH, 615 CHESTNUT ST, 17TH FLOOR, PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106-4404 USA.
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 11214818
TITLE: SM5-1: a new monoclonal antibody which
is highly sensitive and specific for melanocytic lesions.
AUTHOR: Trefzer U; Rietz N; Chen Y; Audring H; Herberth G; Siegel
P; Reinke S; Koniger P; Wu S; Ma J; Liu Y; Wang
H; Sterry W; Guo Y
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Dermatology and Allergy, Charite, Humboldt
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SOURCE: Archives of dermatological research, (2000 Dec) Vol. 292,
No. 12, pp. 583-9.
Journal code: 8000462. ISSN: 0340-3696.
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AB Antibodies such as HMB-45 and anti-S100 protein have been widely used as markers of malignant melanoma despite evidence that HMB-45 has a sensitivity of only 67-93% and S100 is nonspecific for melanoma. Using a subtractive immunization protocol in a mouse model of human melanoma, we have generated several monoclonal antibodies with putative specificity for melanoma. After initial screenings, the antibody SM5-1 was chosen because of its intriguing reactivity with melanocytic tumors in both frozen and paraffin sections. The immunohistochemical staining of SM5-1 was studied in paraffin-embedded specimens of 401 melanomas (n = 401; 250 primary melanomas, 151 metastases), melanocytic nevi of the skin (n = 16), nonmelanocytic neoplasms (n = 84). The results were compared with HMB-45 and anti-S100 staining. All antibodies reacted with nevi and 97-99% with primary melanomas. Whereas both SM5-1 and anti-S100 stained 96% (146/151) of melanoma metastases, HMB-45 correctly identified only 83% (126/151). All HMB-45-negative metastases were positive for SM5-1. Whereas neither SM5-1 nor HMB-45 stained any of 84 specimens from 40 different nonmelanocytic neoplasms, anti-S100 was positive in 21/84 (25%). While the staining pattern of SM5-1 was mostly homogeneous, small tumor areas in some metastases remained unstained. Staining with SM5-1 was also observed in perivascular dendritic cells, in plasma cells, some myofibroblasts and the secretion of eccrine sweat glands. Nonactivated epidermal melanocytes, keratinocytes, endothelial cells, smooth muscle cells and peripheral nerves were all negative for SM5-1. These results suggest that SM5-1 is highly specific, as well as sensitive, for melanocytic lesions and is useful in the immunohistochemical evaluation of melanoma.

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TITLE: SM5-1: A new monoclonal antibody which
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AUTHOR(S): Trefzer, Uwe; Herberth, Gunda; Chen, Ying-Wen; Rietz,
Nadine; Audring, Heike; Siegel, Petra; Adrian, Karin;

CORPORATE SOURCE: Winter, Helmut; Guo, Ya-Jun; Sterry, Wolfram
SOURCE: Dep. Dermatol., Humboldt-Univ., Charite, Berlin, Germany
Journal of Investigative Dermatology, (April, 1998) Vol.
110, No. 4, pp. 581. print.
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1998. The Society for Investigative Dermatology, Inc.
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is highly sensitive and specific for melanocytic tumors.
AUTHOR(S): Trefzer, Uwe; Herberth, Gunda; Chen, Ying-Wen; Rietz,
Nadine; Audring, Heike; Siegel, Petra; Adrian, Karin;
Winter, Helmut; Guo, Ya-Jun; Sterry, Wolfram
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Dermatology, Humboldt-Univ., Charite, Berlin, Germany
SOURCE: Journal of Dermatological Science, (March, 1998) Vol. 16,
No. SUPPL. 1, pp. S110. print.
Meeting Info.: Third Joint Meeting of the European Society
for Dermatological Research, Japanese Society for
Investigative Dermatology, Society for Investigative
Dermatology. Cologne, Germany. May 7-10, 1998. European
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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199800457759
TITLE: A melanoma associated fibronectin variant characterized by
monoclonal antibody SM5-1.
AUTHOR(S): Chen, Y.; Guo, Y. J.; Herberth, G.; Adrian, K.;
Siegel, P.; Audring, H.; Hansen-Hagge, T.; Sterry, W.;
Trefzer, U.
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Dermatol., Charite, Humboldt Univ., 10115 Berlin,
Germany
SOURCE: Journal of Molecular Medicine (Berlin), (May, 1998) Vol.
76, No. 6, pp. B11. print.
Meeting Info.: 2nd Congress of Molecular Medicine. Berlin,
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